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Powers Seeking Counter-Measures: Germany's Attitude

General Hugh Johnson makes a public appeal for support for his Recovery Campaign.

FREEING BANK DEPOSITS

A LIQUIDATION BOARD

MORE CONCEALED INFLATION?

Washington, Oct. 15.

Another colossal effort is being made by President Roosevelt with a view to the re-opening of banks and releasing frozen assets.

The President has announced the immediate creation of a Deposit Liquidation Board.

The duties of the Board will be to assist the depositors of the closed banks by lending them about a thousand million dollars.

It will also be entrusted with the task of ensuring a more orderly liquidation of the frozen assets of the closed banks.

R.F.C. ACTION.

In addition, a special division within the Finance Reconstruction Corporation will disburse funds in proportion to the assets of the banks which have closed down since January 1 up to a maximum of fifty per cent. of their deposits, including any distribution of funds which may have already been made.—*Reuter.*

MIDNIGHT CAR MISHAP

POLICE SEEKING DRIVER

EUROPEAN SAID TO BE CONCERNED

Kowloon police are searching for the European driver of a car which crashed into a pedestrian island on Nathan Road at about half an hour after midnight.

The incident occurred almost opposite the Mongkok Police Station and the car was overturned as the result of the collision. The occupant escaped with very slight injuries it is believed.

A Fire Brigade appliance was brought into service to enable the car to be righted, whereupon the driver got inside and drove away. It was understood from him that he was merely testing the vehicle.

The police are now anxious to get into touch with him. It is stated that they have the number of the car.

A pair or scissors was wielded with disastrous results in a fight between two Chinese yesterday at Johnstone Road, Wanchai. Ng Pui, 15-year-old youth, received a wound in the armpit, leading to his admission to Hospital.

FRENCH CABINET ENDANGERED

GENEVA CONFERENCE TO ADJOURN

THE FIRST SHOCK OF GERMANY'S ABANDONMENT OF THE LEAGUE AND DISARMAMENT BEING OVER, MINDS ARE NOW CONCENTRATED UPON THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE ACTION AND MEANS OF PREVENTING THE FURTHER DESTRUCTION OF CONFIDENCE.

An adjournment of the Disarmament Conference to-day is practically assured, probably meaning an end to practical efforts towards disarmament for some considerable time to come.

The small Powers, however, seem to be in favour of the conclusion of a Convention without Germany based upon the proposals made in Sir John Simon's speech yesterday. The great Powers see no value in pursuing the matter at the present critical juncture.

IMPORTANT TALKS IN GENEVA

London, Oct. 16.

Europe is still in a flutter over Germany's withdrawal from the League and from the Disarmament Conference. Little else was talked about to-day and there was considerable activity in diplomatic circles in nearly every capital.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald returned to London this evening and had a long conversation with Mr. Stanley Baldwin. Later he telephoned to Sir John Simon at Geneva.

There have, however, been no further developments from the British angle.

DALADIER ENDANGERED.

In Paris, the conviction is growing that Germany's action has precipitated the possibility of the fall of the Daladier Government—an event which would render even more remote the likelihood of concessions to Germany.

M. Daladier's enemies are already very strong and they are attacking him vigorously by alleging the failure of the Government's conciliatory foreign policy, and draw attention to the fact that a further arms cut was agreed upon in the teeth of strong home opposition.

GERMANY CALM.

The people of Germany are facing the situation very calmly and there was no demonstration of any kind yesterday.

The idea that Germany is being treated unfairly as a second-class nation has so long been inculcated in the average German by press and radio propaganda and he is convinced that "strong man" Hitler will reconstitute Germany as a powerful nation. Hence the calm attitude.

The Chancellor has already been inundated with thousands of telegrams promising support to the death.

The subject of re-armament is not being mentioned anywhere.

HITLER WAITING.

It seems likely that the German Government has no intention whatever of violating existing treaties, but is awaiting the effect of its measures on the world generally and on France in particular before deciding upon its further course of action.

As the outcome of a meeting at Geneva of the great Powers, Mr. Arthur Henderson will to-day recommend the adjournment of the General Commission of the Disarmament Conference.

WEEK'S ADJOURNMENT.

It is likely that the adjournment will be for a brief period only, not longer than a week, and will be ostensibly for the purpose of enabling the Governments to review the situation created by Gemany's retirement.

It is pointed out, however, that as most of the principal delegates will by then have already left Geneva, most of them having decided to return after to-day's meeting, it is doubtful whether the proceedings will be seriously resumed then.

A COMPROMISE.

Yesterday's meeting's decision to recommend an adjurnment is in the nature of a compromise, as it is realised that a recommendation to adjourn sine die might provoke strong opposition.

Italy openly advocates an adjournment, and the Americans are also inclined to favour it, but Dr. Benes, representing the small Powers, strongly opposed.

To-day's meeting also drafted a letter in reply to the charges of Baron von Neurath, which is being submitted to to-morrow's meeting of the Commission. It is understood that the communication firmly rejects the von Neurath charges. —*Reuter.*

AMERICAN FEARS.

Washington, Oct. 15.

Government officials to-day expressed their agreement with the decision to recommend the recess of the General Commission of the Disarmament Conference, but stand firmly against final adjournment.

The State Department declared that Mr. Norman Davis had authority to support such a recommendation without consulting Washington.

Official circles are of the opinion that Germany cannot be brought back into the Arms Conference, at least not for a long time, and it is felt that the Conference should be saved from a break down, which might mean the start of a great international armaments race.—*Reuter.*

OPENING BREACH.

Berlin, Oct. 14.

The German Reichstag has been dissolved by a special order from President von Hindenburg. The new elections which are fixed for November 11, will give German electors an opportunity of expressing their views on the internal and external policy of the nation.

Chancellor Adolf Hitler, in his manifesto to the German people, declared that Germany is most disappointed that despite all readiness to carry out her Disarmament, if necessary to the utmost, other Governments could not decide to fulfil the pledges signed by them in the Peace Treaty.

The German people and the Government are most humiliated by the deliberate refusal of real moral and actual equality for Germany after the Government of the Reich had declared itself, as a result of the equality promised on November

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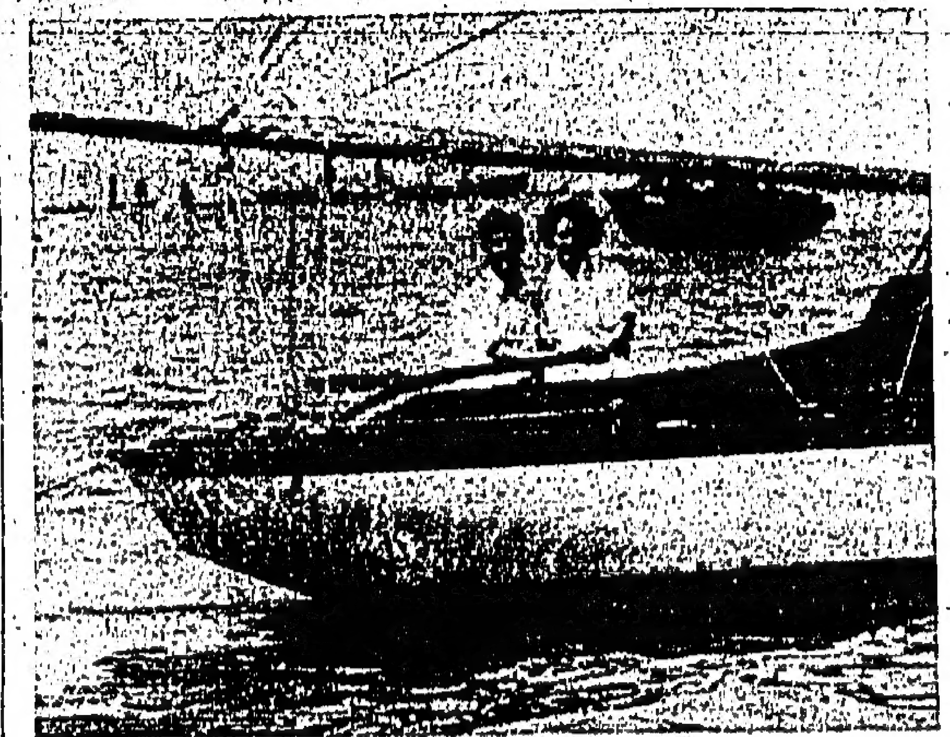

Embarked on the seas of matrimony. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Easterbrook photographed at the commencement of their honeymoon cruise after their wedding on Saturday. The bride's going-away costume consisted of shorts and shirt. She was formerly Miss Audrey Sykes. (Photo: King's Studio).

MUNICH "OMEN" DRAMA

NAZI SYMBOL SHATTERS

SHOCK FOR HERR HITLER

SILVER HAMMER INCIDENT

QUEER AFFAIR

Munich, Oct. 15.

An incident full of bad omen for the superstitious occurred at Munich this afternoon at the laying of the foundation stone of a new art gallery by Herr Hitler.

A beautiful silver hammer, which the Nazi leader was using for the first time for ceremonial purposes, shattered in his hand.

A profound shock was caused throughout the distinguished company, which included the Papal Nuncio, Prince August Wilhelm, Dr. Goebbels, the Minister of Propaganda, and Baron von Neurath, as well as nearly all the German State Governors and the foreign consular officials in Munich.

COMPANY SHOCKED.

Everyone was thunderstruck.

The Bavarian Minister of the Interior handed the Chancellor the silver hammer, conferring it upon Herr Hitler "as a symbol of the future of the Nazi movement."

He expressed the hope that the Chancellor would use it on all similar occasions.

Herr Hitler applied it to the foundation stone.

The hammer broke in half at the first tap.

The whole company gasped.

SPEECH GOES UNDELIVERED.

Hitler was most affected. He sat down heavily in his chair and did not deliver the speech he had prepared.

In an earlier speech, he dissipated fears that the Government of the Reich intended to attempt to break down the customs and characters of the various German States as a result of the policy of unifying the Reich. He declared that these customs would be held sacrosanct.—*Reuter.*

The corpse of a Chinese infant, believed to be the one drowned when a sampan laden with oil, caught fire in Tsun Wan Bay on Thursday, was recovered from the water yesterday.

SPY SCARE IN SAAR AREA

FRENCH PLANS IN GERMAN HANDS

MAN ARRESTED

Geneva, Oct. 10.

With the French frontier in the throes of a spy scare following the report that Germany had obtained the detailed plans of French secret fortifications, delegates to the League of Nations were nervous to-day lest recent incidents in the Saar basin should produce a crisis.

Despatches reported that the French had already arrested a foreman engaged on the secret fortifications on a charge of delivering the plans and specifications to German agents. This was followed by a Paris message saying that an engineer named Weber had been detained at Metz on suspicion that he was the go-between in the dealings between the foreman, Emile Schopp, and German agents.

MACHINE-GUNS.

Two civilians were later arrested at Saarbruecken, charged with conveying a motor lorry loaded with the latest type French machine-guns. Schopp was said to have confessed that he stole the machine-guns from the French supply stores.

The foreman Schopp, according to reports here, was considered to be entirely loyal to France and had been trusted with all secrets pertaining to the construction of the fortifications. He had been employed on one piece of construction for eight months.

Other arrests are expected hourly it was reported here, and it was feared that the French threat, made recently, that Germany would be arraigned before the League on charges of open violation of Versailles treaty would be put into effect.

NEST OF ESPIONAGE.

As the despatches were received to-day, the League already had before it a report from the League's governing commission in the Saar valley covering disturbing incidents that have taken place there throughout the summer and the early autumn.

Most of the delegates had hoped that a resolution, instructing the League Council to watch Saar development closely in order to safeguard European peace, would be sufficient. Now that a new irritant has been applied to the general political situation, delegates were not certain what would take place.

The report from the Saar with the statement of a French official that the Saar basin had become a nest of espionage and intrigue, came while a League committee had in its possession the report of the governing commission charging German Nazis in the area with religious persecution, intimidation of Saar officials and abusive attacks on the governing body.

The governing commission was appointed by the League for a period of fifteen years, its functions to cease in 1935, following a plebiscite to determine whether the people of the basin desire to be under French or German rule.

As the time for the plebiscite draws nearer, the French and Germans are both increasing their efforts to swing the opinion of the 790,000 inhabitants that are under the nominal government of the League in their own favour.

ARMOURED CAR MISHAP

RUNS OFF ROAD WHILE FIRING

EUROPEAN CREW ESCAPE

Three European members of the Armoured Car Company, H.K.V.D.C. had a narrow escape yesterday when involved in an accident during firing practice in the New Territories.

The armoured section consists of three cars which at about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, were carrying out combined operations on the Fanling-Shataukok Road, New Territories.

Two practices by the cars proceeding along in line and firing one after the other at a target, a copse across the paddyfields, had been carried out. The accident occurred during the third practice.

No. 1 Car, bringing up the rear, was travelling at about 30 miles an hour, firing at the target, when it left the road, and fell into a wet paddy field on the left side of the road. The car, weighing five-and-a-half tons, rolled heavily over on its side, and came to a rest in soft mud.

The turret dropped off, and the three crew, including the driver, Pte. N. Mathieson, who were trapped within, were able to crawl out through the hole.

Although the car had dropped about four feet none of the crew were injured beyond a shaking.

The crew of the car comprised Pte. N. Mathieson (driver) and Ptes. J. H. Bradford and Edkins. Lt. Wright was in charge of the Armoured Car Section. At the time of the mishap he was watching the firing practice from a spot 200 yards away.

The car was deeply imbedded in the soft earth. It was being salvaged this morning.

FRANCOIS COTY.

DISMISSED AS DIRECTOR

Paris, Oct. 7.

The action taken by the management of the newspaper *Le Figaro* in dismissing the newspaper's principal stockholder and head of the well known perfumery concern, M. Francois Coty, from his post of director, is causing a sensation in newspaper circles here.

It appears that the action was taken at the insistence of Figaro's editor-in-chief, Count St. Aulaire.

In a counterblast published in Friday's issue of the newspaper *'Ami du Peuple,* which is also owned by M. Coty, Count St. Aulaire is charged with having played a questionable role in the Oustric scandal.

Ordre claims that Figaro's financial status is far from being satisfactory.

H.M.S. Suffolk left Hongkong this morning for exercises and will return on Thursday; and the U.S. Gunboat Mindinao left for Canton. The French sloop Savorgnan de Brazza is expected to arrive on October 24 and will leave on November 2.

BERLIN REPORT OF DEPORTATIONS

Soviet Denies Action Against Engineers

Moscow, Oct. 15.

It is denied in Soviet circles that there is any basis for the report emanating from Berlin declaring that all German engineers in Russia are being deported to make room for French engineers.—*Reuter.*

NAVY JOINS REVOLT

SIAM'S ARSENAL SEIZED

REBELS CAPTURE STATION

Penang, Oct. 16.

Steamer passengers arriving here from Bangkok declare that the Siamese Navy has joined in the revolt staged by Prince Bovaraddej.

It is also declared that the rebel forces have seized the Government's chief arsenal.

The important station of Petchburi is reported to be in the hands of the rebels.—*Reuter.*

BYE-ELECTIONS IN ENGLAND

Government's Strength to be Tested.

A miniature general election is now pending and is likely to indicate the strength or otherwise of the support for the present National Government throughout the country.

The death last week of Mr. N. W. Smith-Carington, Conservative member for the Rutland and Stamford Division, brings the number of bye-elections to six, the other five being Kilmarnock (where a four-cornered contest is likely between Socialist, Independent Labour Party, Scottish Party and Scottish National Party candidates), Market Harborough, East Fulham, Skipton and Rusholme, Manchester.

The last four of these returned Conservatives by overwhelming majorities at the last election. The Labour Party will oppose the Government candidates in all these divisions and Liberal candidates also are likely at Market Harbourough, Skipton and Rusholme.—*Reuter.*

SERIOUS MISHAP TO SMALL BOY

GETTING ON AS WELL AS EXPECTED

Geoffrey White, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. White of Kowloon Docks, who was seriously injured early yesterday morning in a fall from a verandah, was this morning reported to be going on as well as could be expected.

The unfortunate lad fell on his face, shattering the jawbone and causing complicated compound fracture.

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THE WORLD OF WOMEN

Serviceable New Autumn Costumes

Bicycling Costume, With Divided Skirt and Belted Jacket, Hits Novel Note

By Joan Savoy.

Select your autumn clothes right. You'll need several good looking and serviceable daytime outfits. And you'll need some workmanlike sports things. Top those with ultra feminine evening things and you are all set!

Since bicycling has come back with a bang, the chances are that you'll pedal your way to success. So get yourself one smart bicycle costume.

A serviceable one, chic as they come, is made of novelty sheer brown wool, divided skirt and belted jacket with pockets for this and that. Under the trig jacket is worn a necktie silk shirt, blue and white to give a new colour combination with dark brown.

The model is in brown. But in Parisian manner, you draw on a handsome pair of green suede gloves, a matching green suede belt and tie, and you are all set.

YOUR CHILDREN

Avoid "Priming" A Child for School

By Olive Roberts Barton

"I'm glad Peggy is starting school," said her mother. "She's getting beyond me."

"They soon straighten them out," agreed her friend. "I hope that you will like school, Peggy."

Peggy said, "Yes'm" was corrected and tried to give a better answer.

But her thoughts were not on manners. She was thinking about that "straightening out." What could it mean? What did they do to you there?

Classroom Fear.

She didn't want to be straightened out. She didn't want to go to school at all. She called school square. Everything square. Square hooks, square blackboards, square desks, square everything. Lines and rows and squares. She had visited school, with Lois and when she came home she felt that she never wanted to go to that place again.

"So you're going to school this Autumn, Peggy!"

Everywhere she turned someone said that to her.

And her mother would answer for her. "Yes, and I'm so glad. She is running wild and needs to be doing something. You know they make them walk the chalk line and the children turn into different people."

Lois added her bit. "When you go to school you can't do that. If you don't behave you'll catch it. You mustn't whisper. If you're dumb they'll put you in a back seat."

Already she was planning ways to defeat this great machine that was to catch and crush her.

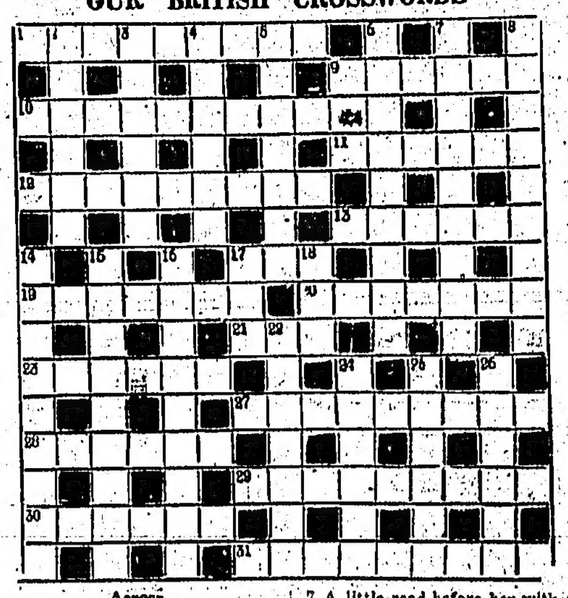
Another Attitude.

Up in the mountains a fine woman with clear eyes, not yet rested, was saying, "I must be getting home soon. School won't be long now. I dread this time of year. I always call it the frightening period. About half the children who start in have been talked at all summer - until they are like nervous little rabits. Either that or they are determined not to submit.

"I wish people wouldn't worry these babies before hand. Just let them take it for granted and let them walk in without a lot of priming. It takes me weeks to unscare them and assure them that they won't be eaten or beaten.

"Sometimes it's the other way and they are promised a Roman holiday just to get them there. That's almost as bad. The best way is to talk very little at all and act as though school were as natural as breakfast or the sun."

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

1 Very pleased to show you a light-hearted document.
9 Rally, with a veto facing you!
10 Play involving careful treatment.
11 Its interpretation is manifold: to start with, it has 5041
12 Futile advice to a flea: there's no limit to it.
13 A gentleman of France.
17 If you fail to get it irate, it may present an 'orrible appearance.
19 "From Nature doth—come, and moods
Of calmness equally are Nature's gift" (Wordsworth's "Prelude").
20 On a legal document rather larger than a place in Exodus (two words).
21 If it were under the mains, it would be something to lean on.
23 Public school.
27 Great composer.
28 If forks were dilemmas, these would be their horns.
29 Serves abroad, but may be the object of the dainty policeman's aspirations (two words).
30 Firth.
31 See scales (anagram).

Down

2 Chief among journalists.
3 Considering the amount of water about, it ought to be all right for iris-growing.
4 You'll find me in sacred surroundings; you couldn't call me comely, but I'm mighty near it!
5 Pardons.
6 A national hero.
7 A little road before her with all the rest between will help the oarswoman with her stroke.
8 In a short time.
14 This is simply rot.
15 Irish county catspaws to go on strike (two words).
16 Out of the nursery menagerie (hyphen).
17 You'll see it in the pantry.
18 Curious family! Paul was the curiousest.
22 Name one, and take care how you change it.
24 Cuts fancied by gamblers? Not quite, but they might be.
25 Ceremonious.
26 Positions for sleeping-partners?

Saturday's Solution.

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For the LOVE of EVE by Lucy Walling

CHAPTER XLVIII.

It was the day of the May festival in Pine Forest. Eve awakened at dawn, with the first chimes of the church bells, and looked out of the window. Already lights were burning in the basement of the little white church at the Four Corners. She aroused Dick.

"Bright May day now is dawning o'er us!" She sang the words of a song she had learned in grade school.

They went to breakfast in the church that morning in accordance with a custom brought from New England by the first settlers of Pine Forest. Breakfast was served from five o'clock until nine and although Eve and Dick were among the first to arrive they had company. The owner of the general store sat at their table and the general manager of the paper mill was next to Dick. Opposite sat the village tailor, polite and attentive.

The men discussed business conditions. Before Eve had finished the delicious pancakes served with new maple sirup a group of teachers came in.

"After breakfast we are going up into the woods for May flowers," they told her and invited Eve to join them. But she declined, although she was touched by their thoughtfulness.

This day she had set aside to spend with Dick. Soon she would be leaving and she wanted to make the most of the short time remaining. They lingered over their coffee and then left the church. In the tall white steeple the chimes were ringing again. A sense of peace seemed to surround them. Eve slipped her arm through Dick's and as they strolled past the wide lawns on Main street they watched the sun, red-gold, come up over the top of Eagle Hill. Birds were twittering in the tree tops and in Mrs. Williams' garden the pink flowering almond was blooming, flanked by yellow forsythia.

That morning Eve rode out to the camp with Dick. The hospital buildings loomed up attractively in that vast wooded area. Dick took Eve on a tour of inspection and she felt an increased respect for the powers that were bringing into being this great institution of healing. By midsummer the hospital was to be opened. Dick, however, would remain there to begin work on more buildings to be added to the unit. That meant that in all likelihood he would spend another year at Pine Forest.

Another long year without Dick! Another year of such loneliness as she had known for the last eight months. Her mother's words came back to her, "You're not being fair to your husband!"

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Eve drove the roadster slowly over the four-mile stretch back to the village. She felt the charm of the countryside and longed to relax and become a part of it. Yet she felt another urge which drew her away into the turmoil of life in Lake City.

She stopped at the little post office and found a letter from Arlene.

"Eve, dear, we are married," wrote Arlene. "Sam and I both dreaded the fuss and excitement of a wedding so we just slipped away and were married at Saint James' church last Saturday. Sam's brother and my cousin were the witnesses.

"We drove to Niagara Falls for our honeymoon. Well—why not Niagara Falls? My parents and their parents, too, went to Niagara Falls for their honeymoons. Anyhow Sam wasn't in a hurry to get back so we didn't return until Tuesday night. We're staying with my parents until we find a place of our own.

"Sam refused to let me go to the office Wednesday and I'm not going back at all! I called Mr. Barnes to tell him I was married and he was very sweet about it. I guess he thinks well of Sam.

"We're looking for a house now. We want a little white one with green blinds and a wide red chimney out in one of the suburbs. Sam says he is tired of apartments and for years he's been ambitious to have a rose garden."

* * *

Eve sat still for a long while after she read Arlene's letter. She was experiencing a conflict of emotions and her mind was torn with indecision. She was glad for Arlene—glad that her friend was so happy, and yet she envied that happiness. Because of her own overwhelming ambition, Eve realized, she was thrusting aside the joy that might belong to her and her husband.

And what confusion there must be with both Arlene and herself absent from the office. Eve felt she should go back immediately. She turned the car about and drove in the direction of the little lake where Dick had taken her that first Sunday. High up in the hills she stopped and walked through the woods, kicking up pine needles as she went. When she came to the edge where she could look down at the water below she slipped to the ground and gave herself up to enjoying the golden sunshine.

Here, with the fragrance of the pines carried by the gentle spring breeze, it was easier to think. Eve felt able to take a detached view of her problems and analyze them impersonally.

After a long while she arose and with one hand brushed back her honey-coloured hair. There was a shining light in her amber eyes and her firm little chin was held high. With determination in her step she returned to the car and drove back to the village.

She wrote three letters but did not mail them, then drove to the camp again for Dick. While she sat in the roadster waiting for him doubts once more assailed her. Did Dick really want her to go back to Lake City or would he rather have her stay here? He had told others as well as Aunt Sophronia that Eve was returning at the end of two weeks. And he had said it in a voice so certain that it left no cause for doubt. Surely if he wanted her to stay he would have implied it in some way!

* * *

But Dick looked so genuinely glad to find her waiting for him that Eve felt a responsible glow of pleasure as their eyes met.

"Love me a little?" Eve asked wistfully as they drove over the hill.

"Love you—oh, the least little bit!" he teased, smiling.

After dinner Eve asked him to read the letters she had addressed to Mr. Bixby, Mr. Barnes and to Arlene and Sam. The letter to Mr. Bixby contained her resignation and suggested that he consider Sam for the vacancy. Sam Holoridge, she wrote, was in her estimation better qualified to take charge of Bixby's advertising than any other person in Lake City. The letter to Arlene and Sam suggested immediate application for the job.

Dick was amazed as he looked up from the page he had been reading.

"But are you sure," he asked, "that I haven't influenced you to do this, Eve?"

"No, you didn't influence me. You didn't even encourage me to stay here," Eve told him frankly. "I've thought the whole thing out, Dick. I had the satisfaction of reaching the goal I had set for myself. You and I and a few others know I could have become advertising manager of the store. I don't think anyone else would have been much interested. Staying in Lake City would have meant realizing that ambition but if realizing it had to mean losing you—oh, Dick, we came so close to losing each other!"

"No, we didn't," he assured her emphatically. "I wanted you to work out your problem in your own way. I've never believed in forcing anyone into decisions. But I was willing to wait. I thought that if you cared enough for me you'd come to me in time."

"Cared for you——" echoed Eve.

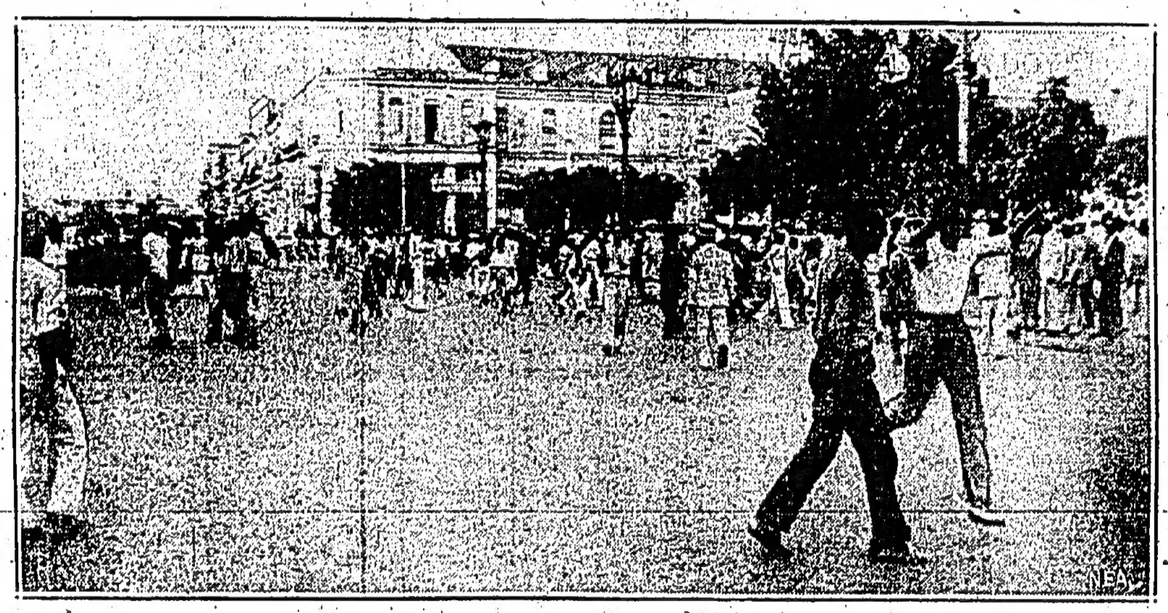
"Are you sure, darling, that you will be contented here?" he asked.

And Eve answered firmly. "Yes. Something had to be sacrificed and it couldn't be you!"

Dick took her in his arms.

(The End.)

GRAPHIC PICTURES OF THE CUBAN RIOTS



Almost as the camera clicked, the machine guns of presidential palace guards opened death-dealing fire upon this throng which had gathered in Havana streets to celebrate a false report that President Machado has resigned. Twenty-five were killed, more than 100 wounded. Members of the crowd ran in all directions to escape the spray of bullets.

Here are series of graphic pictures of the Cuban riots. Above shows how, with the police disarmed, and soldiers refusing to interfere, and orgy of looting and destruction swept the Cuban capital after the announcement of President Machado's downfall.

As word swept over the embattled city of Havana that the regime of President Gerardo Machado was at an end, thousands of joyful celebrants swept into the presidential palace to loot and destroy. The result of the mob's frenzy is strikingly pictured above. Windows and doors were smashed; rich furnishings pulled down and carried away; state papers and records tossed into the court in a littered mass. Here you see members of the mob searching the debris, and others carrying loot from the palace.

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WILLIAM HALL.
Hongkong, 12th October, 1933.

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Covering 37.4 miles to the gallon, Mr. J.D. Lloyd won the competition for the "V8" Ford models, in the Ford petrol economy competition staged by Messrs. Wallace Harper & Co, local Ford dealers, at Kowloon on Saturday afternoon. Twenty-six Ford car owners took part in the competition.

In the class for Baby Fords, Mr. Ng Chiu-ytn took first prize by covering 59.48 miles to the gallon.

The cars in the test had their petrol tanks drained at the Company's Service Station, Kowloon, and replenished with three gallons in the case of the "V8" Fords and two gallons for the Baby Fords. Mr. C. Dodson, an official of the Hongkong Automobile Association, sealed each of the tanks after they had received their petrol supply.

The cars then made a complete circuit of the New Territory, returning to the Service Station a distance of approximately 52 miles.

The seals were then broken by Mr. Dodson and the contents of the petrol tank drained and measured.

At the conclusion prizes were presented to the winning competitors, before a large gathering of Ford owners and friends. The prizes were donated by The Asiatic Petroleum Company, The Dunlop Rubber Company, Messrs. Melchers (Goodrich Tyres), Messrs. Carlowitz and Company (Continental Tyres) and The Sincere Company.

Results.

The following were the results of the competitions in the "V8" Class and the Baby Ford Class:

"V8":—1, Mr. J. D. Lloyd, 37.4 miles to the gallon (Silver Cocktail Set); 2, Captain J. A. Peterson, 29.71 miles to the gallon (Attwater-Kent Radio Set).

Baby Ford:—1, Mr. Ng Chiu-yan, 59.48 miles to the gallon (Silver Cake Dish); 2, Mr. T. Young, 54.74 miles to the gallon (Silver Sweet Dish).

Major C. M. Manners, Vice-President of the Hongkong Automobile Association, and the Rev. G. E. S. Upsdell, past Secretary, were among the spectators.

The Competitors.

The following owners competed in the test:

"V8" Ford: Messrs. C. C. Bergheer, A. N. Betts, C. Crofton, Kenneth Chan, G. Forder, G. Fahnestock, P. M. Hodgson, Dr. Li Shiu Kee, C. Little, J. D. Lloyd, J. W. H. Lo, Dr. J. B. Mackie, Maclesoff, J. Panizzi, Captain J. A. Peterson, R. R. Roxborough, Inspector A. W. Smith, P. A. Silva, M. A. Xavier and B. Netland.

Baby Fords: Miss A. Chan, Messrs. Chan Fu-cheung, Ng Chiu-yan, U. Man Kit, T. Young, and Dr. Mok Hing-fai.

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VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

Manila	Empress of Asia	October 16.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai. (San Francisco, 22nd Sept.) and Europe via Siberia (London, 28th September).	Pres. McKinley	October 16.
Shanghai and Amoy	Tai Yuan	October 16.
Straits	Genoa Maru	October 17.
Calcutta and Straits	Santhia	October 17.
Japan and Shanghai	Ixion	October 18.
Calcutta and Straits	Kutsang	October 18.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London 21st Sept., and Parcels, 14th September.	Comorin	October 19.
Australia and Manila	Kitano Maru	October 19.
Japan	La Plata Maru	October 19.
Straits	Calcutta Maru	October 20.
Japan	Kamo Maru	October 20.
Japan and Shanghai	Mantua	October 20.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 30th September)	Pres. Jefferson	October 20.
	General Sherman	October 21.
Japan and Shanghai	Rakuyo Maru	October 22.
Japan	Machaon	October 23.
Straits	Athos II.	October 24.
Saigon	D'Artagnan	October 24.
Shanghai	Patroclus	October 24
Shanghai		

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Monday		
Fort Bayard	Ou Chao	Mon., Oct. 16, 12.30 p.m.
Hoihow and Pakhoi	Wing Lee	Mon., Oct. 16, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Mon., Oct. 16, 3 p.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kweiyang	Mon., Oct. 16, 3.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Fook On	Mon., Oct. 16, 4 p.m.
Tuesday.		
*Manila, Makasser and Sourabaya	Tjinegara	Tues., Oct. 17, 9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues., Oct. 17, 3 p.m.
Manila	President McKinley	Tues., Oct. 17, 4.30 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, *Canada and *Europe via San Francisco and *Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 8th Nov.)	Tatsuta Maru	Wed., Oct 18.
	Reg.,	Oct. 17, 5 p.m.
	Letters,	Oct. 18, 8.30 a.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan	Wed., Oct. 18, 3 p.m.
Thursday.		
Amoy	Kutsang	Thurs., Oct. 19, 5 p.m.
Friday.		
Japan	Kitano Maru	Fri., Oct. 20, 9 a.m.
Saigon and South Africa	La Plata Maru	Fri., Oct. 20 9.30 a.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island (Due Thursday Island, 31st October).	Changte	Fri., Oct. 20,
	Par.,	Oct. 20, 2 p.m.
	Reg.,	Oct. 20, 3.15 p.m.
	Letters,	Oct., 20, 4 p.m.
Shanghai. Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. and *Europe via Siberia (Due Vancouver B.C., 8th November.)	Emp. of Asia	Fri., Oct. 20,
	Parcels	Oct. 19, 5 p.m.
	Reg.	Oct. 20, 9.15 a.m.
	Letters	Oct. 20, 10 a.m.
Foochow	Ninghai	Fri., Oct. 20, 1 p.m.
Haihow and Haiphong	King Yuan	Fri., Oct. 20 Noon
Saturday.		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 17th November)	Mantua	Sat., Oct. 21.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Parcels, Oct. 20, 4.30 p.m.	Parcels,	Oct. 20, 5 p.m.
Reg., Oct. 21, 9 a.m.	Reg.,	Oct. 21, 9.15 a.m.
Letters, Oct. 21, 9 a.m.	Letters,	Oct. 21, 10 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	Sat., Oct. 21, 3 p.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Mantua	Sat., Oct. 21.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., Oct. 20, 4.30 p.m	Reg.	Oct. 20, 5. p.m
Letters, Oct., 20, 5 p.m.	Letters,	Oct. 21, 9 a.m
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island (Due Thursday Island, November, 2.)	Kamo Maru	Sat., Oct. 21.
	Reg.,	Oct. 20, 5 p.m.
	Letters,	Oct. 21, 9 a.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., Oct. 21 4.30 p.m.
Tuesday.		
Saigan, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, *Egypt and *Europe via Marseilles. (Due Marseilles, November, 25.)	D'Artagnan	Tues., Oct. 24.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., Oct. 24, 1 p.m.	Reg.,	Oct. 24, 1.15 p.m.
Letters, Oct. 24. 1 p.m.	Letters,	Oct. 24, 2 p.m.
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service"	D'Artagnan	Tues., Oct. 24. Noon.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Letters, Oct. 24, 11.30 p.m.	Letters,	Oct. 24, Noon.
Reg., Oct. 24, Noon.	Reg.,	Oct. 24, 12.30 p.m.
Shanghai	Athos II	Tues., Oct. 24, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Oct. 24, 3 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, November, 26.)	Patroclus	Wed., Oct. 25, 1 p.m.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., Oct. 25, 1 p.m.	Reg.,	Oct. 25, 1.15 p.m.
Letters, Oct. 25, 1 p.m.	Letters,	Oct. 25, 2 p.m.

*Superscribed Correspondence only.

JAPAN AND LEAGUE.

POLICY NOT AFFECTED BY LATEST DEVELOPMENTS.

Tokyo, Oct. 15.

Germany's action will not affect Japan's fixed policy with regard to the League of Nations and the Disarmament Conference, declared Mr. Shigemitsu, the vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, in a statement to the press.

He stated that he did not think the Disarmament Conference would collapse, though the difficulties confronting it would inevitably be increased.

The vernacular newspapers have not yet mentioned the German move editorially, but give prominence to the views of officials. Viscount Araki is quoted as having declared that Germany's withdrawal was unexpected, though understandable, and was a further proof of the incompetence of the League.

The comments reflect a recognition of the serious effect of the latest developments to Europe, though the effects and possible aftermath in Japan cannot be predicted yet.—*Reuter.*

TROOPS MASSING

WAR CLOUDS GATHER IN THE NORTH

Harbin, Oct. 14.

Trains laden with Soviet troops are being rushed to the frontier regions of Western and Eastern Siberia, according to foreign travellers from Europe, who assert that troop-trains overtook them at regular intervals of 45 minutes.

At the same time, Manchukuo is reported to be concentrating troops at Hailar.

Meanwhile, the Soviet Consul-General here has lodged a fifth protest against the detention of the Chinese Eastern Railway officials, but the demand for their release is being ignored by Manchukuo.

Commerce and trade in Harbin continues to remain at a standstill.—*Reuter.*

Japanese Concentration.

Tokyo, Oct. 14.

It is reliably reported that troops are concentrating at Mukden, Changchun and Harbin, apparently as a precautionary measure, but ostensibly as preparatory to a bandit drive.—*Reuter.*

JAPANESE RECRUITING.

Formation of Large Mongolian Cavalry Division.

Nanking, Oct. 14.

The *Central Daily News* gives prominence to a report from Mongolian sources to the effect that the Kwantung Army has been instructed to organise a force of 30,000 Mongolian cavalry within two years.

It is stated that Japanese recruiting agents have been sent out but that there has been little response to their efforts.

The paper finally alleges that the projected force is intended for use against the Soviet.—*Reuter.*

LONDON OBSERVER.

Significant Activity In Russo-Japanese Crisis.

London, Oct. 15.

There is no mistaking the seriousness of the Russo-Japanese phase of Far Eastern disturbance, says the *Observer* to-day. "The haggling over the price of the Chinese Eastern Railway is merely the occasion, not the whole cause of the dissension," the newspaper adds.

It does not matter that the League of Nations' competence does not extend either to Russia or Japan, for Western Europe, where theoretically it does exist, is in a bad state.

It is probably no accident, the *Observer* says significantly, that Moscow is assiduously courting the goodwill of Warsaw and Paris.—*Reuter.*

GOLF COMPETITION.

Valley Defeat Kowloon In Bi-Annual Match.

A CLOSE CONTEST.

The Happy Valley golfers defeated the Kowloon Golf Club by 10½ points to 12½ in the bi-annual match played on the Valley course yesterday. At the end of the singles morning round, the Valley led by three points and increased their lead by one point in the foursomes.

Scores are as follow:

Singles.

K.C.C.			Valley G. C.	
D. C. Wilson	1	v.	C. W. F. Booker	–
J. MacKnight	–	v.	W. A. Stewart	–
J. D. Thomson	–	v.	K. S. Robertson	1½
H. H. Mundy	1	v.	J. A. R. Selby	–
A. T. Braley	–	v.	A. McKellar	1
A. L. Eastman	–	v.	L. Goldman	1
W. C. Chalmers	–	v.	F. E. Booker	1
W. M. Groves	–	v.	J. S. Dykes	..
G. Milne	1½	v.	A. E. Clarke	..
W. S. Hillier	1	v.	A. E. Charman	..
J. Pooler	–	v.	C. Mycock	1
H. T. Buxton	–	v.	F. Lobel	–
L. D. Purves	–	v.	E. M. Halon	1
A. J. Dennis	1½	v.	A. Macfarlane	–
T. Seddon	–	v.	S. S. Cook	1½
V. C. Labrum	–	v.	A. W. Muir	1

Total points: Valley 8½; Kowloon G.C. 5½.

Foursomes.

D. C. Wilson and J. MacKnight 2 v. C. W. F. Booker and W. A. Stewart 0.

J. D. Thomson and H. H. Mundy ½ v. K. S. Robertson and J. A. R. Selby 2.

A. T. Braley and A. L. Eastman 0 v. A. McKellar and L. Goldman 2.

W. C. Chalmers and W. M. Groves v. F. E. E. Booker and J. S. Dykes, all square.

G. Milne and W. S. Hillier 2 v. A. E. Clarke and A. E. Charman 0.

J. Pooler and H. T. Buxton 0 v. C. Mycock and F. Lobel 2.

L. D. Purves and A. J. Dennis 2½ v. E. M. Hanlon and A. Macfarlane 0.

T. Seddon and V. C. Labrum 0 v. S. S. Cook and A. W. Muir 2.

Total points: Valley G.C. 8; Kowloon G.C. 7.

YACHT CLUB EVENTS.

Results Of Races Sailed On Saturday.

WIN FOR CARPENTER.

A. H. Chambers in Carpenter secured a fine win in the senior event arranged by the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club on Saturday, the "H" and Remaining Classes race being won by Capt. H. Marshall, sailing Robena.

The course was from Lyemun Beacon (P) to Mark on Line (P) and Channel Rocks (P), a distance of 7.8 miles. The following were the results:

"A" Class—Started at 14.30.

	Time Fin'ed	Cor'ed	Pos'n	Sailed by
Carpenter	4.53.40		1	A. H. Chambers
Oslo				
Wasp II				
Artemis	4.56.11		3	Mjr. Lochner
La Linda				
Jan				
Isobel	4.56.31		2	Cdr. Cowland
Joss				
Gull				
Cleada				
True Blue	6.03.10		4	H. S. Ronse
Pat				
Fury				

"H" Class & Remaining Classes.

	Start at 14.45			
Diana	4.40.10	4.47.86	7	Lt. P. Ramus
Colleen	4.53.48	4.48.36	8	Cdr. Drummond
Rolla	4.40.44	4.50.44	9	R. Stock
Falcon				
Siskin				
Argulla II				
Dorothea	4.52.04	4.45.52	6	
F.S. Coote				

"I" Class.

Daphne	4.54.33	4.40.35	2	Capt. Ingle
Alisa	4.56.02	4.43.44	4	S. Douglas
April V				

"Y" Class.

Stella				
Wings				
Bluejacket				
Robena	4.54.50	4.39.53	1	Capt. H. Marshall
Speedwell				
Adanac				

"G" Class.

Gael				
Toynett				
Eunice				
Joan	D. N. F.			
Sirius	5.07.01	4.45.34	5	H. M. Finlay
Zephyr	5.02.52	4.43.21	3	Major Grellier
Lola				

GARRISON LEAGUE.

Commanding Officers Play In Last Match.

BORDERERS' SUCCESSES.

The last match of the Garrison Tennis League was played at Sookunpoo yesterday, when Headquarter Wing, Borderers, beat Hadquarter Wing, Lincolns, by 5-2 points.

A rather unusual feature was the appearance in the teams of the two Commanding Officers and to add to the interest, the match in which they opposed each other was the decisive one of the day.

The Borderers found themselves more at home on the grass courts than their opponents but there were some stiff games before the honour of being runners-up in the League was decided.

The League winners are "D" Company, Borderers.

When Lt.-Col. Raikes and partner of the Borderers opposed Lt.-Col. Boys and partner, the latter's team were already a point behind and if the Lincolns were to win, that set and the following set against Major Lochner and partner had to be won.

Tactical Error.

The Lincolns pair lost the first set at 6-3 and as the result of the match was then decided, the other set was not played.

Col. Raikes and C/Sergt. Jarman played a fast but steady game and their straight drives carried the day. Col. Boys had planned to lob and kill the return but as often as not the lobs were the wrong side of the line, and this together with a few errors proved costly.

The full results were:

Col. Raikes and C/Sergt. Jarman (H. Q. Borderers), beat Col. Boys and Pte. Turner, 6-3; beat Lt. Powell and B. M. Trout, 6-4; beat L/Cpl. Ellison and Dmr. Chapman, 6-2.

Major Lochner and L/Cpl. Davies (H. Q. Borders), lost to Lt. Powell and B. M. Trout, 4-6; beat L/Cpl. Ellison and Dmr. Chapman, 6-2.

Sgt. Harndon and Drm. Jones (H. Q. Borders) lost to Col. Boys and Pte. Turner, 5-7; lost to Lt. Powell and B. M. Trout, 4-6; beat L/Cpl. Ellison and Drm. Chapman 6-1.

PERIL OF INTERNATIONAL ARMAMENTS RACE

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11, 1932, again ready to participate in the negotiation of the Disarmament Conference.

EQUALITY ISSUE.

"Official representatives of other States, in public speeches and in direct statements to foreign Ministers and to German delegates have announced that at present Germany can no longer be granted this equality," said Hitler.

"As the German Government see in this action an unjustifiable and humiliating discrimination against the German people, it is not in a position to further participate in the negotiations as a second-class nation without rights.

"While the German Government re-announces its firm desire for peace, it declares with greatest regret that it must leave the Disarmament Conference in view of these humiliating and dishonouring demands, the manifesto continues.

RESIGNATION FROM LEAGUE.

"It will also announce its resignation from the League of Nations.

"The Government submits its decision, with a renewed affirmation of its policy of sincere desire for peace and understanding, to the judgment of the German people, and expects from this a manifestation of a similar desire of peace and understanding and also a manifestation of a similar conception of honour and determination.

"I am convinced that the whole nation, like one man, will support and confirm the decision which springs as much from love of our people and respect for its honour as also from the conviction that final world peace, which is so necessary for all, can only be reached when the conception of victor and vanquished is replaced by a bearable application of equal rights for all who live."—*Reuter.*

HITLER'S BROADCAST.

Berlin, Oct. 15.

In broadcast to the German nation Hitler said that it would be a gigantic event in the history of the whole of humanity if France and Germany could finally banish violence from their common life.

He added that while the German people asserted the rights which the treaties themselves gave to the nation, yet for Germany no reason for territorial conflicts lay beyond those provisions in treaties that already existed.

When the Saar territory was returned by France to the Reich only a madman could imagine that another Franco-German war was possible.

"German youth is not on the march to demonstrate against France, but to identify a political movement which has become necessary to suppress communism," Herr Hitler said.

TRAITORS OF 1918.

"If the rest of he world isolated itself in indestructible fortresses and built monster aeroplanes, guns and tanks, then they could not refer to the German menace, when the Nazis marched entirely without weapons in columns of four.

"The deliberate 'declassing' of the German people lies in the fact that Germany has been denied the right of defence given every other nation.

"The men now ruling Germany have nothing in common with the paid traitors of November, 1918. We were not responsible for the Great War, or what happened during 1914-18, but are only responsible for that which every man of honour must do for people in distress."—*Reuter.*

GENEVA REACTION.

SIR JOHN SIMON'S DECLARATION

The German decision to withdraw from the Disarmament Conference was communicated in a long statement handed to the President of the Conference, Mr. Arthur Henderson but her decision has not affected plans for the reassembly of the Conference on Monday. No German representative was present at the meeting of the League Council this afternoon.

In his statement to the Bureau this morning Sir John Simon reported on the results of the conversations between the Powers on the question of disarmament. He indicated that the United Kingdom draft convention would as a result of these conversations, need to be somewhat recast. Firstly, its duration should be extended to eight years, which should be occupied by the fulfilment of the continuations programme to secure, firstly, a substantial disarmament of heavily armed Powers and secondly, the achievement of the principle of equality in a regime of security.

He added that the modification of the draft convention was necessitated by the present unsettled state of Europe, to which the President of the Conference had referred at the meeting of the Bureau on October 9.

The eight year period would begin with the transformation of continental armies and the setting up of a system of supervision through the Permanent Disarmament Commission. Or this Commission could, as Mr. Henderson had suggested, be set up without waiting for the ratification of the convention. The British Government would welcome it as a shortening period when actual disarmament would be reached.

DISARMAMENT MEASURES.

Regarding the question of how much of eight years would be needed for the initial steps Sir John Simon reported that four years had been mentioned by several Governments though others had proposed a somewhat shorter period.

The measures of the substantial disarmament ultimately to be reached must be defined in the convention itself, and by substantial disarmament he meant either the provision of the United Kingdom draft convention or some comparable variation. He pointed out that the result of the abolition of the various forms of armaments in the second period would be to constitute a common list of permitted arms in which all states without differentiation would share.

Finally Sir John Simon insisted on the principle, which seemed to him essential, that the Powers now restricted by treaties should not increase their armaments forthwith. By that he did not mean to exclude numerical increase proportionate to the numerical increase of the German Army in the course of its transformation from a long to a short service force.

INVITATION TO POWERS.

He invited the treaty-bound Powers to express their willingness to conform to the time table he had indicated. In addition the convention should contain a provision that no Government would henceforth manufacture or acquire any further weapon of any of the types to be eventually abolished.

Sir John Simon expressed the belief that a convention on the above lines would be best calculated to restore rudely shaken confidence, and he proposed that in the general commission other countries should be invited to state their attitude with regard to the essential points he had enumerated.

The British Foreign Secretary's statement was supported by Mr. Norman Davis (United States), Signor Soragna (Italy), and M. Paul Boncour (France), vice-president Politis and Rapporteur Bens. The German representative, Herr Von Papen, confined himself to saying he had noted and would report Sir John Simon's statement. The Bureau decided that the statement should be transmitted to the General Commission for immediate discussion on Monday afternoon.

This occasion will provide an opportunity for testing the nature and strength of world opinion upon the disarmament situation as it stands in the light of latest developments.—*British Wireless.*

DELEGATES LEAVE.

Germans Refuse To Comment On Instructions.

Geneva, Oct. 15.

The German delegation to the Disarmament Conference left for Berlin last night.

Members refused to comment on the instructions received from Berlin. Mr. Arthur Henderson's reply to Dr. Nadolny was most brief, and simply acknowledged receipt of the telegram, which will be submitted to the Bureau of the Disarmament Conference.—*Reuter.*

HOME RUGBY.

Harlequins Easily Defeat United Services.

OLD BLUES TROUNCED.

London, Oct. 14.

East Midlands had a smashing victory over Warwickshire in the County Championship at Northampton to-day, winning by 29 points to nil. North Midlands were also successful against Leicestershire at Birmingham and won by 14 points to 10.

In the Club fixtures, the Harlequins overwhelmed the United Services by 14 points to nil, while in a close tussle between Bristol and Bath, the latter just managed to win by an unconverted try.

Old Blues proved no match for the Guy's Hospital XV, scoring only eight points to their opponents' 36.

Full results follow:

County Championship.

East Midlands	29	Warwickshire	0
(At Northampton)			
North Midlands	14	Leicestershire	10
(At Birmingham)			

Club Fixtures.

Birkenhead	12	Halifax	10
Bristol	0	Bath	3
Cambridge U.	14	Old Leysians	5
Coventry	6	Old Alleynians	8
Gloucester	0	Cardiff	0
Guy's Hos.	36	Old Blues	8
Harlequins	14	United Services	0
Leicester	22	Bridgewater	5
London Welsh	11	Rosslyn	3
Newport	16	Blackheath	3
Oxford U.	15	London Scot.	11
Richmond	16	Northampton	0

—*Reuter.*

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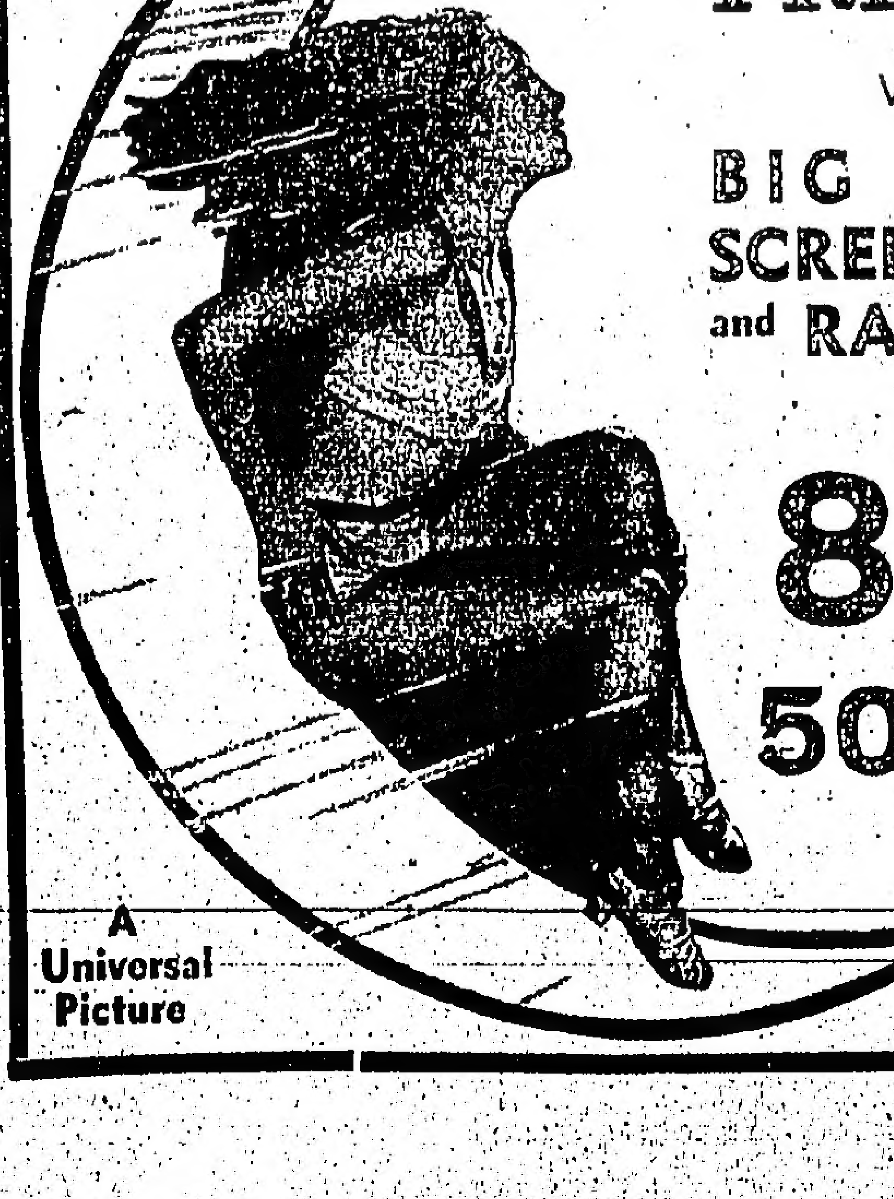

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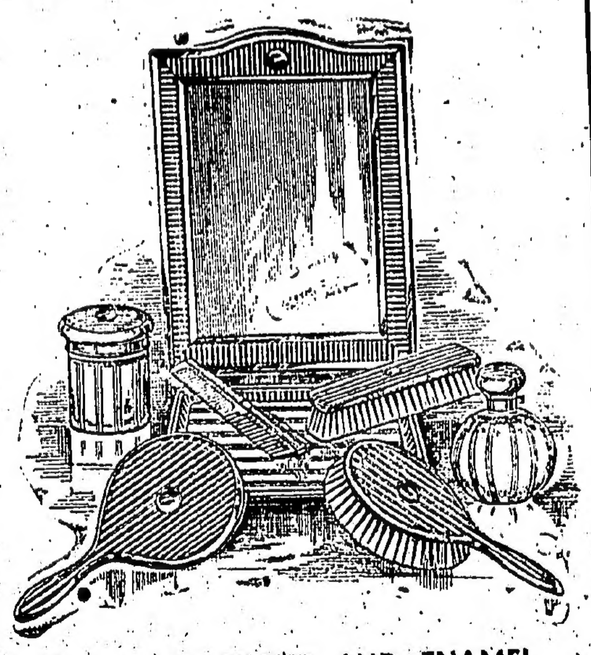

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1933.

GERMANY'S BLUNDER

To the rest of his topsy-turvy achievements in the foreign field, Herr Hitler has added the colossal blunder of withdrawal from the League of Nations and from the Disarmament Conference. It might have been an occasion for the gravest anxiety; it still provides a situation demanding the highest qualities in world statesmen; but the worst danger has already been surmounted. The solidarity of the English-speaking peoples has been stated as plainly as it could be, forming with France and Italy a powerful combination for the preservation of peace. The United States stands firmly with its Great War allies in opposition to Germany's rearmament and Herr Hitler's bluff, if bluff it was, has been called. As a dramatic gesture, it has an effect, but bombshell has missed its main mark. Like so many other actions designed by the Nazi leader to further Germany's aims, the result has merely been to consolidate the powers of resistance, to bring them more closely together. Instead of placatory appeals, which it is fair to suspect were anticipated in Berlin, the United States, Britain and France, with Italy hardly less strong in support, find themselves in a clearer atmosphere, knowing exactly what they have to face and prepared to meet it. Herr Hitler, in announcing the decision, made a moderately toned speech contrasting astonishingly with the futility and tragedy of the action inspiring it, urging a claim to a sincere desire for peace to justify an action which is bound to cramp the resources of practical statesmanship in the quest for a solution of Europe's problems instead of assisting. Nothing could show more clearly the shortness of the Nazi vision. For if the complete severance of relations with Geneva is not an example of the childish petulance of the frustrated, then Germany's protestations are insincere and prohibition of re-armament in any form becomes the more essential in the interests of peace. As to the immediate future, there seems little that can be done. The Disarmament Conference is effectively torpedoed; an effort must be made to prevent it from going under completely, to preserve at least the shell until reason is restored. Time is likely to prove the most successful healer, provided Germany does not cut loose in other directions.

NOTES OF THE DAY

FAR EAST CRISIS

The situation in the Far East is of more immediate concern than the crisis in Europe. Trouble may be brewing in the West but there is plenty of time in which to discover ways to restore confidence. There is not a moment to spare if conflict is to be avoided over the Chinese Eastern Railway. The outlook is none the less ominous because the intervals between the barking of the dogs over this bone of contention have become wider. It calls, rather, for a keener watch. Events have been moving rapidly towards the stage where vocal outbursts cease to have value or influence. And neither Soviet Russia nor Japan have been slow to realise it. With tension clearly on the verge of breaking-point, we look in vain for any means by which it may be eased off without causing an upheaval. On the contrary, circumstantial accounts of military preparations are frequent, further electrifying the atmosphere.

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HOW SOON?

We are prepared to believe that both Soviet Russia and Japan would welcome an opportunity to draw back if it could be done without loss of prestige. That is the essence of the crisis. Eliminate the question of national honour and a compromise might be possible. But can it be eliminated? Japan (or Manchukuo: it is much the same thing) is heavily committed to drastic curtailment of the rights of control exercised in the railway by the Soviet. Any modification of this policy would be interpreted as a Soviet triumph and the Japanese General Staff are in no mood for such an interpretation. Russia's position is vastly different. Japan has been encroaching upon her preserves to an extent which must seem to Moscow to demand the calling of a halt. She calls it before it involves defence of her own territories. The alternative is to slink away and submit to every dictate of Japan's Empire-builders, to sacrifice any influence remaining to her in the East. If the situation is thus correctly analysed there remains little more to be said. For either party, it is give way or fight. Only one question remains, How soon?

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THE BUS WAR

The Colony's own little war, the community v. the bus services, is also making progress. Residents of Kowloon Tong have summoned the Kowloon Bus Company with the result that fines have been imposed. There would be more of such prosecutions if private individuals had the time to spare to make appearances in Court.

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ADEQUATE WARNING

The present is hardly the proper time to harass the bus companies. An adequate warning has been given. No immediate improvement can fairly be expected and a spate of prosecutions because an example has been set would savour of vindictiveness. If observation reveals anything, the Monopolists have enough serious problems on their hands without being subjected to what could easily become, in the circumstances, persecution. The fact is, or seems to be, that the companies at the moment could not live up to the terms of the Contract if they tried. The public must bear with them for a while. More damage, wear and tear, has been done to the vehicles in service during the four months of the new Franchise than in twelve months of ordinary handling. But the companies seem to possess neither efficient drivers nor an adequate technical staff. Experience suggests that if the inexperienced drivers employed feel that an engine is not behaving properly they run it to standstill and accentuate the trouble.

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THE REMEDIES

Only a radical reorganisation can set things right. The causes of complaint will not respond to patchwork. We doubt if it is at all possible to bring the various services up to the required standard without the importation of a fleet of new buses to be employed in conjunction with the best of the old. This is true of both sides of the harbour, although it refers particularly to Kowloon. After that, unless the service is to degenerate once again, it will be necessary to ensure that the drivers employed are capable of handling the vehicles without tearing their "innards" to pieces. These things cannot appear in a moment; the public can only expect, for some time, that the companies will do their best with their present equipment. And one contribution to happier conditions would be action to convince employees that discourtesy and slackness are not part and parcel of the elimination of competition.

NOISES I WOULD LIKE TO SEE STOPPED

A. P. HERBERT

A DREADFUL cat has been let out of the bag. A man who makes silencers for motor-cars has revealed that the young people who drive about in high-powered "sports" cars buy fewer and fewer silencers: they demand "partial" silencers and prefer no silencer at all—for the "crackle" of the exhaust makes them think they are speed kings, and they love it.

They enjoy noise.

All of us complain that there is too much noise; yet most of us must confess that there are noises we enjoy, and if all noises were miraculously eliminated the world would certainly be a dismal place. Half the fun of Niagara is its noise.

The question is: What noises are redundant? And the answer is: The other fellow's noises.

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I love the sound of church bells floating across the Sussex Downs about cocktail-time. But I cannot bear the church bells at 7 a.m. though they are a delight to many.

I love most of the characteristic sounds of the water traffic—the steady clinkety-clink of a sailing barge's windlass getting up the anchor in the early morning, the rattle of the blocks as the tops'l goes up, the far-off *tutter-tutter* of a power-boat on the canal, the metallic clatter of the locks as the bootmen drop the "paddles," the roar of water as the lock begins to fill; even the sometimes unnecessarily noisy noise of a tug's or steamer's siren booming in the heart of London.

But on land the noise of vehicles is odious to me. Motor-horns madden me; I loathe loud exhausts, the rumbling lorry, the crunching gears, the engine blowing off steam.

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I like, I think, the sound of a horse's hoofs, but not its neigh or whinny, or whatever it is. And on cobblestones cartwheels are an agony.

My neighbours dislike me if I stay up late and sing. I dislike them if they get up early and whistle joyously in the street. Other people's strumming on the piano can be tiresome, but how I enjoy my own!

The poets and others love the morning anthem of the birds: so should I if I could sleep through it.

Some are enraged by the evensong of alcoholic revellers. I much prefer that to the morning noises of the worthy milkman bringing life and health to mothers and babies.

He, too, is one of these hearty whistlers—at 5 or 6 o'clock in the morning. Nobody says anything, because he is bringing milk; and because he is up early and working he thinks he is entitled to whistle and wake me up.

Well, I sit up till one in the morning working. But if I then go out in the street and whistle joyously, I shall get, at least, nasty letters.

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Milk leads to tea. The literary men write lovingly of the kettle singing in the hob. An elderly lady has told me that the noise that maddens her most is a singing kettle. She would rather sit in the middle of a brass band. Where are we?

But poets and literary men are always praising noises—the click of bat on ball, the school lawn-mower, the charming prattle of children (O dear!), the blacksmith's hammer (Golly!), the lowing herd (Mercy!), the "crack" of the rifle, the "cry" of the hound, the beat of the drum the wind in the trees, the bleating of lambs, the plash of fountains.

Yes, there is no doubt that we do like noise.

If one of those electric drills came to my street I should emigrate, but crowds of people stand round and enjoy them, and my boy would rather have ten minutes of an electric drill than ten minutes of Caruso.

For all I know there may be those who enjoy a good sniff, or the crackling of chocolate-paper at a matinee, or the man who goes to a first night with a cough as regular as a pumping engine, or the ship's siren in a fog.

Then, of course, the Voice of the Beloved is generally supposed to be a good thing. But put thirty women together in a room at a cocktail party—all somebody's Beloveds—and I would willingly swap them for an electric drill.

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Nearly all the material things which distinguish this age from the last are things which make or communicate more noise than there was before—the telephone, the talkies, the gramophone, the wireless, the car, the aeroplane, the steam-plough, the motor-lorry, the typewriter, the high explosive, the saxophone, extension lectures, cocktail parties, restaurant bands, and international conferences. An alarming list. No wonder the world grows madder.

And now they want to bust the Atom—good and hard!

What is the most precious of our political liberties? Free speech, which means free political speech—the dreariest form of noise there is. But some love it. Very soon we shall be talking of our inalienable right to make a noise.

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The noisy bather is one of my bug-bears. The moment he is in the water he has to shout and scream. The happy lads of Hammersmith are a sore trial to me some summer days. But when my son goes in the river he is just as bad, except that I can stop him.

A young couple glide up in a punt very much in love. They come to a quiet corner of the river. They have the whole world to themselves and the whole of life to discuss. And they go and turn on the gramophone because they would feel embarrassed without it.

The jazz bands we like best are undoubtedly those which make most noise. We used to have nice quiet cinemas; but then they brought in music and afterwards "sound."

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We used to be able to sleep during after-dinner speeches: now there are loud-speakers all over the room. We can't enjoy our food in a restaurant unless a band is playing or somebody sings.

A theatre audience must never be left in silence for an instant between scenes; the band must play from curtain-fall to curtain-rise; and if the music runs out they must play the same piece again.

Now we have to have wireless in our cars lest silence, like a pestilence, should fall upon the roads.

I know an artist who works all

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"I'm afraid she is getting a crious. Her parents have started looking me over."

The Very Idea!

CONGRATULATIONS

By Eddie "Shakespeare" Kelly, Barred.

WHEN we arrived in the office on Saturday the first thing that caught our eye was the disorder in the general office on the ground floor.

Then, when we reached our desk, we found the reason. We'd forgotten all about our birthday announcement on Friday.

After about three hours we were able to sort the flood of congratulatory cables, letters and chits into some semblance of order.

We have picked out a dozen or so at random to fill in the column to-day.

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Mr. J. H. Taggart, Managing Director of the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd., enthusiastically wrote us follows: Mr. E. Kelly, Hongkong *Telegraph*:

Sir,—The announcement in Friday's issue of the *Telegraph* that you conceived the Very Idea twelve months ago reminds us that your account with our Company is overdue for a like period. We would appreciate an immediate settlement. Yours patiently.

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But wait till you read this cable we got from London.

KELLY HONGKONG.—LONDON PRESS REPORTS YOU CELEBRATE FIRST ANNIVERSARY STOP BRITISH GOVERNMENT LOOKS TO YOU TO KEEP GOING STOP PLEASE GO EASY ON DISARMAMENT STOP LOOK FOR YOUR NAME IN NEXT NEW YEAR HONOURS LIST STOP RAMSAY MACDONALD.

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Another cable speaks for itself:

EDWARD KELLY HONGKONG.—CONGRATULATIONS MAY I HAVE YOUR AUTOGRAPH.—GEORGE BERNARD SHAW.

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But we regret to say that all the cables and letters have not been congratulatory. For instance, Major Cassel wrote us as follows:

Dear Edward Kelly.—In the last issue of the Critic I inadvertedly wrote an account of your death. Please accept my apologies. I am sorry this is not correct.

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There is rage as well as terror in a cabled appeal we received from Herr Hitler, of Germany:

You will be satisfied now. Have stood your sarcasm long enough, but last article was last straw stop Entirely your fault Germany has resigned from League. Comma Articles gravely injuring prestige self, wife, family stop Aren't there people in Hongkong you can attack. Stop Why pick on me? Stop.

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Radio from America:

FOR PITY'S SAKE DROP REFERENCES NATIONAL RECOVERY STOP MOVIE PEOPLE THREATENING STRIKE FOLLOWING YOUR ARTICLE ON DE MILLE AND ASSES MILK STOP HAVE YOU NO BOWELS OF COMPASSION? STOP—ROOSEVELT.

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Cable from President Daladier:

Belle France unflinchingly faces border enemies and will insist on rights Geneva, but we cannot hope success if you antagonistic stop Sending one gross Croix des Guerres three gross Medailles Militaires for distribution amongst your friends. Stop. Be merciful as strong.

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And from Australia:

Australian Board Control deplores continual references bodyline fullstop Bradman threatens not play next season if you continue make fun of him stop Why not pick on Larwood stop Posting full details his history career for your information.

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There are several other letters we could print, but the Editor won't let us. He says the *Telegraph* is a respectable newspaper.

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"VENGEANCE IS MINE"

The girl ran her slender fingers up and down the lapels of his dinner-jacket.

"You must go now," she sighed, "before my husband returns."

She swung round suddenly.

"*Hell!*" she gasped. "He's coming now."

Ralph turned pale.

"He will find us. He will guess everything," he muttered distractedly.

The footstep came nearer.

"Quick! Quick! You must hide," she urged frantically.

But it was too late. The doorway framed a vengeful figure, automatic in hand.

The automatic spoke.

Thud!

A crimson stream widened into a pool beneath the still form which had been Ralph Grayson.

"God! You've killed him," Joan gasped, weakly.

Her slim figure slumped, crumpled, and slid, in a senseless heap, to the carpet.

"Peanuts or lollies!" wailed a plaintive voice, as the lights went up.

SCHOOLGIRL TEAM FOR CAER CLARK CUP

CEN. BRITISH SCHOOL TO TAKE PART

MISS H. KNILL TO PLAY

SEVEN POSITIONS FILLED

LOCAL HOCKEY INNOVATION

(By "Veritas").

For the first time in the history of the local game, schoolgirls will this year take part in competitive hockey.

Miss H. Knill, sports mistress at the Central British School this morning revealed that the C.B.S. is entering a team for the Caer Clark Cup.

With the exception of Miss Knill and another mistress, the team will be composed of C.B.S. pupils.

"We made a start at hockey last year" said Miss Knill, "and for the most part our players are comparative beginners. But we are practising hard, and although I cannot indicate with any certainty what standard we shall attain, I am particularly anxious that the girls shall have the experience of senior hockey and for that reason we are entering a team for the Caer Clark Cup this winter."

SOME OF THE PLAYERS.

Miss Knill, whose bold move is bound to do much to raise the standard of hockey in Hongkong, has not yet completed the team, but can point to seven certainties. They are:

J. Bryson (right back)
R. Ingram (left back)
J. Holland (centre-half)
M. McCaw (right half)
Miss Marsh (right wing)
L. Hickley (right inner)
Miss H. Knill (centre-forward).

From these players Miss Knill is looking forward to supplying the nucleus of a useful team. With herself and Miss Marsh in the forward line, defences will certainly to kept busy.

INTENSIVE PRACTICE.

Practice matches are now being indulged in almost daily, and the team will take part in its first serious game to-day week, when the Central British Association will provide the opposition.

On November 4, the schoolgirls meet the Hongkong Ladies Club, and from this encounter will have a real opportunity of measuring their strength.

The team will use their own school ground for a number of matches, but as it is also occupied by the C.B.A., the bigger proportion of their games will have to be played on other grounds.

Last Friday it was stated in the *Telegraph* that Miss Knill was at present away from the Colony but would play for the Hongkong Club on her return.

We were misinformed on this point, and have been asked to add that Miss Knill, although retaining membership of the Hongkong Ladies Club, will definitely play for the Central British School in the Caer Clark Cup and other matches this season.

In this innovation Miss Knill will carry with her the sympathetic interest of all local hockey players, and the progress of her proteges will be watched closely.

YEAR REVIEWED

Annual Meeting of K.I.T.C.

A successful year, showing a profit of $314.18 in the accounts, was reported at the annual meeting of the Kowloon Indians Tennis Club held yesterday afternoon, the chair being taken by Mr. Kehr Singh.

It was stated that the membership had now increased to 70 with two honorary life-members. In the "C" Division of the Tennis League, the Club did not do very well, but they had a fair season in hockey.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Mr. Abbas Khan; Vice-President—Mr. M. A. Khan; Hon. Secretary—Mr. Feroz Ali; Hon. Treasurer—Mr. Bachan Singh; Committee—Messrs. Waryam Singh, G. M. Khan, Sapooran Singh, Firdos Khan, I. Mahan Singh; Hockey Secretary—Mr. Jahan Dad.

Tsui Wai Pui Wins At Nanking

BEATS KIANGSU PLAYER

Tsui Wai-pui, the Hongkong tennis player, scored a clever win in the Nanking sports meeting, when he defeated the Kiangsu representative by three sets to one.

Wong Shui-wing, another Hongkong competitor lost to the Jehol player by the odd set in five.

Nanking, Oct. 15.

Hongkong had a good day in the National Athletic Meet in progress here when the South China Athletic Association eleven defeated Peking by three goals to one, and the girls' volleyball team beat Hunan three to one. In the indoor baseball Hongkong's lady representatives forfeited to Shanghai.

Full Results.

200 Metres Final: 1, Liu Changchun (Lianing), 2, Han King-lin (Hopeh); 3, Su Shao-yu (Shanghai). Time, 22 Seconds (A record).

800 Metres Final: 1, Lo King-lung (Peking); 2, Tung Su-chiu (Shanghai); 3, Cheng Sen (Hopeh). Time, 2 min. 5 secs (A record).

400 Metres Hurdles Final: 1, Tao Ying-kit (Shanghai); 2, Wang King-ki (Peking). Time, 59.2 Seconds. (A record).

100 Metres Final for Ladies: 1, Miss Chien Hang-su (Shanghai); 2, Miss Cheung Kit-king (Kwangtung); 3, Miss Chiu Wan-san, (Kwangtung). Time 13.5 Seconds. (A record).

80 Metres Low Hurdles for Ladies, Final: 1, Miss Chien Hang-su (Shanghai); 2, Miss U Shao-lan (Shantung); 3, Miss Leung Sin-liu (Kwangtung). Time 14.5 seconds. (A record).

400 Metres Relay for Ladies: 1, Shanghai, 2 Kwangtung, 3, Shantung, 4, Peking. Time 54.6 Seconds. (A record).

Volleyball Section: (1st. Round) Peking beat Honan, 3-0. The Hongkong ladies beat the Honan ladies, 3-2, in a very exciting match.

Basketball Section: (2nd. Round) Kwangtung beat Kirin 35-33, Hopeh beat Chekiang 67-25, and Peking beat Hunan 72-23.

Fifth Day Results.

Tennis Section, Singles: Tsui Wai-pui (Kwangtung) defeated Chang Ki-tseng (Kiangsu) 3-1; Sun Ching-chun (Jehol) defeated Wong Shiu-wing (Hongkong) 3-2; Liang Chen-wen (Hopeh) defeated Chen Nai-san (Chekiang) 3-1; and Wang Wen-ching (Shanghai) defeated Ling Chi-yang (Hunan) 3-0.

Volleyball Section: Honan beat Nanking, 3-1.

Basketball Section: (Men) Hupeh beat Szechuan 40-29, the Philippine Chinese beat Kiangsu 47-23, and Nanking beat Halungkiang 45-31. (Women) Fukien beat Kiangsi 80-18, Shanghai beat Hunan 16-3.

Soccer Section: Hopeh defeated Hupeh 3-1, and Kwangtung beat Nanking 15-1.—

I.R.C. SINGLES TITLE.

A. R. Dallah Defeats A. M. Omar in a Close Game.

A. R. Dallah won the bowls singles championship of the Indian Recreation Club yesterday morning, when he defeated A. M. Omar by 22 shots to 18 over 20 heads. Leading 8-4 at the seventh end, Dallah led at 15-9 at the head.

Omar made a good recovery and at the 18th. head led by 18-17. However on the 19th. end Omar lay three shots sufficient for victory, but Dallah came through to snatch a wood.

FLASHES FROM LOCAL SPORTS FIELDS

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call for a varying technique of play, so in bowls it is essential to get your seasoned No. 1, 2, 3 and skip.

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MAIN'S chief job here was not getting his men to indulge in practice, so much as to find which had the quicker adaptability to positions which were strange to them. It made a tremendous difference to the strength of Shanghai as a team.

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CHELSEA WANT THEM!

AFTER reading about the exploits of the South China Athletic Association footballers in Nanking I feel that the greatest gesture of international goodwill which China could now make would be to offer the South China forward line to Chelsea!

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THIRTY-EIGHT goals in two matches! That's a goal scored at intervals of 4 minutes 12 3/5 seconds. It seems too that our local team's defence is not in bad shape, for only one goal was conceded. There is the suggestion of the incongruous about this!

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BUT the real merit of the South China eleven was tested yesterday when they met and defeated Peking. All Hongkong will now be looking forward to hear of the team's final achievements.

SPEY ROYAL FINAL.

ARRANGED FOR NEXT SATURDAY.

It was announced this morning that the Spey Royal Cup final between Kowloon Dock Recreation Club and Craigengower Cricket Club has been arranged for next Saturday.

The game will be played at the Civil Service Cricket Club green, starting at 2.45 p.m. sharp, and the referee, will be Mr. J. Russell, President of the Hongkong L.B.A.

NOT VERY HELPFUL

THE INTERPORT CRICKET TRIAL

BOWLERS' DAY

To all intents and purposes the Interport Cricket Trial on Saturday on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground has given the Selectors little or no assistance.

What appears to be a stumbling block in Interport trials is the undue restraint on the part of the participants. Not a few of the batsmen on Saturday were overawed by the occasion, and scoring was painfully slow, even full tosses being treated with respect. This is clear by the fact that not even two hundred runs were scored for the loss of eighteen wickets during practically four hours of play. Of this the first two hours of play only yielded 87 runs.

The pitch was on the slow side, and gave bowlers little or no assistance. Occasionally a ball rose sharply, but the over-cautious tactics of the batsmen was not at all warranted in the circumstances. The bowlers were not slow in sizing up the situation, and aided fairly good fielding kept the batsmen tied down to the crease.

BOWLERS ON TOP.

A. W. Hayward calling a successful toss of the coin elected to bat, and opened with E. C. Fincher and A. M. Rodrigues. The bowling was entrusted to G. C. Garthwaite and A. R. Minu. The former kept a good length in his first few overs, and was soon rewarded by the wickets of Rodrigues and 'Tam' Pearce both in one over. Minu, on the other hand, was sending down some really guileful deliveries, and kept turning a lot from the leg. He was unfortunate in not having Fincher caught early-on, E. R. Duckitt dropping a straight hot shot at square leg. Fincher had another life when he skied one to square-leg off Burnett, but Munn failed to get to the ball.

The first hours play only yielded thirty runs, and Fincher, Rodrigues, Pearce, Madar and Hamilton had been sent back. Hayward and McInnis then stopped the rot, and by dint of careful scoring took the score to 54 when Hayward was run out. Pereira joined McInnis and the rate of scoring was increased, and in half an hour the score was taken to 87 runs when Hayward decided to close the innings.

F. A. Munn, who opened with E. R. Duckitt, was an early victim, being out to a magnificent catch in the slips by E. C. Fincher off A. T. Lee. Captain P. Williams, in association with Duckitt, gradually advanced the score, but did not take any undue risks against Pereira, who was bowling a good length. Goodwin relieved Pereira when he had bowled eight overs, and Williams greeted the new bowler by twice despatching him past his legs to the boundary.

AGGRESSIVE WILLIAMS.

Williams continued his aggressive batting, and scored heavily off Madar, whom he drove straight for two boundaries and followed them up with a six in another over. His was the best innings of the afternoon, characterised by powerful hitting all round the wicket.

After he had retired, the remaining batsmen did not offer much opposition to the bowling of Goodwin and Lt. Hamilton, and the innings terminated shortly after for 106 runs.

By their performances both Minu and Williams are almost certainties for the Interport.

The selection for the first Interport with Malaya will probably be made from the following players:—

A. W. Hayward (Captain), H. Owen-Hughes, E. C. Fincher, E. F. Fincher, G. C. Burnett, Lt. A. C. Hamilton, Captain P. Williams, Lt. G. C. Garthwaite, A. R. Minu, A. H. Madar, F. D. Pereira and G. S. Dunkley (wicket-keeper). T. A. Pearce, who did not take part in this trial, is also almost certain of inclusion.

THAT TERRIBLE 17TH!

INTERPORT LAWN BOWLS WON AND LOST ON SINGLE HEAD

HONGKONG REAP THE BENEFIT OF SUPERIOR TEAM PLAY

(By "Veritas").

In the Shanghai lawn bowls clubhouses in years to come you might hear whispered a tragic story entitled "The Shocking Seventeenth." It might not be the same in every detail as the story you would hear to-day, but it will be encased in the glamour of tradition, and will be to the Shanghai lawn bowlers what Bannockburn is to the Sassenachs and the Treaty of Versailles to the Germans—anathema.

For it was on the 17th head that the lawn bowls Interport of 1933 was won and lost. At the close of the 16th Shanghai were leading 18-14. Five minutes later they were losing 19-18, and the fact that Hongkong added five more shots before the end is of practically no consequence.

Everybody, I think, is prepared to sympathise with Shanghai. Up to that fatal head they had not only established a good looking lead, but were deserving of it.

Those who had judged the capabilities of the visitors purely on the previous results of the tour found there were shortcomings in their estimate.

In one of the best exhibitions of lawn bowls seen in Hongkong for a long time, Shanghai regained their prestige to the full.

BOLD TACTICS.

A striking feature of the match was the almost complete absence of "safety-first" tactics. Certainly attention was paid to safeguarding positions won by the No. 1 and 2 players, but on both sides bold tactics were favoured, which as a result gave the spectators a rare treat.

It was not until the 17th and subsequent heads that Hongkong demonstrated how well they could bowl. True there had been glimpses of it earlier on, but generally speaking the honours up to that time had fallen to Shanghai.

In the first place the visitors, thanks to Bailey and Main (especially Main) had staged a thrilling recovery at a point when everything indicated that Hongkong were going away into a long lead. On the ninth the locals had a lead of five shots. On the 14th Shanghai had wiped off this deficit and themselves led 16-13; another two on the 16th and victory was in sight.

It was between the ninth and the sixteenth that Shanghai as a team pulled themselves together. Up to then Main and Bailey had been playing lone hands. But gradually Richards and Malcolm, inspired by the example found their touch and Hongkong were forced to cry best to a worthy rink.

THE SEVENTEENTH.

Then came the deciding change over the game. It was Hall (consistently brilliant in his straight draw to the jack) who laid the first shot. J. C. Brown increased this to three. It was a closed head and quite impossible for Main to make a straight draw. The Shanghai skip tried to open it up with a drive and just missed. U. M. Omar, with that sureness of touch, came along with two perfect drawing woods and Hongkong registered the one and only five of the game.

In this match where wits and tactics played almost as important and effective a part as skill, Omar and Main emerged with flying colours. Main had to bear greater responsibilities than Omar because for several heads he did not receive adequate support from Richards and Malcolm. It was often left to him single-handed to retrieve an unfortunate position.

Omar was inspired on more than one head and he earned rounds of applause on the early and concluding heads for some brilliant woods.

For sustained accuracy Hall and Bailey, respective first strings easily shared the honours. They took it in turns to take each other out and lay shot and it was their initial deliveries which laid the foundation for the high standard of bowls enjoyed.

AN IDEAL GAME.

B. W. Bradbury played an ideal game at No. 2, rarely failing to give what Omar asked for. Certainly for three parts of the game he was more than a match for Malcolm, "Sandy" made a gallant but inauspicious exit from Interport bowls.

To Shanghai the most disappointing feature must have been the loss of form displayed by Charlie Richards. It was his constantly being outbowled by J. C. Brown which thrust such a burden on Main. Only on the middle heads did the veteran Interporter recapture something of his old time skill.

A closer analysis reveals that once again Hongkong were better as a team and that no matter how fine the individual effort may be, it can rarely hope to beat concerted action.

Shanghai do not take back with them an impressive record, but they have the satisfaction in knowing that in all three Interports they maintained their prestige.

One is tempted to suggest that they did not have all the luck in these three games. Even so Hongkong were worthy victors.

H.E. the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., was amongst the spectators, arriving on the grounds when the fifth head had just been completed. His Excellency was introduced to the players after the game by Mr. J. Russell, the President of the Hongkong Lawn Bowls Association. Scores:

Hongkong		Shanghai		
R. Hall		W. A. Bailey		
B. W. Bradbury		A. A. Malcolm		
J. C. Brown		C. Richards		
U. M. Omar		T. G. Main		
Head	Shots	Total	Shots	Total
1	1	1	–	–
2	3	4	–	–
3	–	4	2	4
4	–	4	2	4
5	–	4	1	5
6	4	8	–	5
7	2	10	–	5
8	–	10	3	8
9	3	13	–	8
10	–	13	1	12
11	–	13	3	12
12	–	13	1	13
13	–	13	1	14
14	–	13	2	16
15	1	14	–	16
16	–	14	2	18
17	5	19	–	18
18	1	20	–	18
19	2	22	–	18
20	–	22	1	19
21	2	24	–	19

LOCAL HOCKEY GAMES.

H.K. Ladies Hold Practice at Sookunpoo.

B. HANCE BRILLIANT.

Brilliant play by the half-backs of both sides featured the Hongkong Ladies' Hockey Club trial match on the military ground, Sookunpoo, on Saturday.

The outstanding player was Miss B. Hance, who gave a fine exhibition at left half for the Whites.

Miss J. Churchill, (2) Miss E. Bonnar (2) and Miss J. Dalziel were the best forward trio on view. They combined very effectively to score five goals against the Colours.

The following were the teams:

Whites:—B. White; M. King, and B. Franklin; D. Robertson, H. Lowe and B. Hance; E. Bell, J. Dalziel, E. Bonnar, J. Churchill and R. King.

Colours:—M. Bird: Mrs. Westlake and P. Thorpe; J. Whyte, B. Pope and A. Owen Hughes; M. Bishop, M. Rattray, S. Adams, B. Laing and E. Selby.

Radio Team.

The following will represent the Radio Sports Club in a friendly hockey match against St. Andrew's Club at Caroline Hill at 5 p.m. to-day.—Man Singh; P. Singh, Mohinder Singh; Jaggoot Singh, M. H. Hasanh, J. S. Grewal; Prem Singh, G. Singh, Awtar Singh, Kulwant Singh, F. A. Komp. (Captain). Reserve: Attar Singh.

The same team will meet the Lincolnshire Regiment at the Shamshuipo Camp ground to-morrow, at 4.45 p.m.

THE CLUB'S TEAM.

To Meet Jat Regiment in A Friendly Game.

The Hongkong Hockey Club first eleven are due to meet the 3/9 Jat Regiment on the Marina at 5.15 p.m. on Wednesday next. The civilians are fielding practically the same team as was beaten by the H. K. S. R. A. two weeks ago. F. E. W. Lammert is brought into the team on the left wing while E. V. Reed is returning to the half-back line.

Major H. M. J. MacIntyre, who played left wing in the previous match, is being introduced in the inside-right in the absence of C. C. Francis. J. A. Potter, the Club's regular left half-back will partner Lammert on the left flank.

The team will be as follows:—S. Shields; A.A. Dand (Capt.), J. Rodger; W.A. Reed, H.J.D. Lowe, E. V. Reed; J. L. Tetley, H. M. J. MacIntyre, G. E. R. Divett, J. E. Potter, F. E. W. Lammert.

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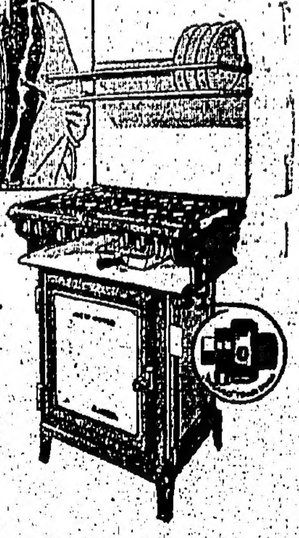

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BORDERERS' METAMORPHOSIS: LINCOLNS' VICTORY

EVERYTHING else in local league football on Saturday was overshadowed by the match between the Lincolns and the Borderers at Sookunpoo.

EXPECTATIONS that it would provide a rare treat of exciting exchanges were completely realised, but nobody anticipated the astonishing debacle of the Borderers, who were beaten by five goals to nil.

BELOW will be found a special report of the match.

ONE-MAN TEAM

MORRISON SHINES IN DEFEAT

(By "Veritas").

To the heart-rending wail of "Come on the Seni-er Regeement", emanating from the lips of a wildly enthusiastic spectator, the Lincolns swept through the Borderers at Sookunpoo on Saturday afternoon, defeated them by five clear goals, created the biggest sensation of the day in local football, and made the "24th" feel that Rorke's Drift had been in vain.

This was the first Army "Derby" of the season, and because of this one could, perhaps, be excused, in anticipating that the excitement engendered by the occasion might drive away the skill and science of the game. But if such were the fears of any of the spectators they were soon shown to be unfounded.

True, the more artistic elements were practically confined to the one team, but as there was additionally an "atmosphere" about the game, the interest remained at fever pitch especially when the Borderers missed three open goals in the last ten minutes.

That Penalty

Of course it was that penalty in the first five minutes which defeated the Borderers. When I say that it was a curious decision I am not attempting to find excuses for the losers. They were thoroughly, completely beaten by a better team. But when Higgins tumbled backwards into Mullane after he had headed away and the right back pushed the centreforward off with his hands, it appeared that he was only adopting normal measures of selfprotection. Referee Baldwin ruled otherwise, and from the moment Hocquard drove the ball into the corner of the net from the resultant 12 yards spot kick, the Lincolns were on top.

It was the signal for fireworks. Three minutes later Hocquard put across a perfect centre which Mullane and Smith went to clear and Higgins to convert. The latter emerged successful. Within another two minutes the Lincolns had obtained their third, Baldry putting Higgins through after profiting from a mistake by Morrison (the only blemish of an afternoon's brilliant work), and the Borderers' fate was sealed.

The team which a week before had promised to become champion beaters, were subjugated by a combination which had previously experienced the greatest difficulty in defeating lesser fry.

Aggression and Science

And as the game wore on the Lincolns became more aggressive and more scientific in their aggression. The sheer speed of the first few minutes was augmented by well conceived movements between defence and attack. The difference between a team working as a unit and of a side of eleven separate and totally incompatible units became more and more obvious.

This, in the final analysis, was the distinction between the two elevens. And if the fact that expressed in terms of goals, it ended with the Lincolns five to the good, it was no flattery to the winners, but merely a true reflex of the game.

The one consolation the Borderers obtain from the match is the knowledge that they played far below their form. But it was a sad metamorphosis, relieved only by the magnificent display of Morrison.

Even under the severest pressure, he remained a steady, dour, and often spectacular defender. Though obviously tiring toward the end he remained in the thick of the fray, time after time repulsing the sweeping movements of the Lincoln forwards.

The Most Tragic Feature

To the Borderers the most tragic feature of the match was the utter collapse of the half back line. Podmore covered his usual wide territory but not with the usual results. Ridley, Higgins and McGuiness were too big a handful even for this hard working pivot. Wallace and Underwood both made the fundamental error of confining their attentions to the wingers instead of going in to help Podmore break up the inside trio from whom emanated the majority of the attacks.

The breakdown of this department seemed to demoralise the whole team. The forward line which the previous week had just oused vitality and cohesion degenerated into muddled and bewildered individuals, whose every kick seemed to miss its mark, whether it be a pass or a shot at goal.

By contrast one saw in the Lincolns a unified team, working together in sympathy and with rhythm. Starting from Heath, whose clean handling was a treat to watch, as also was his judgment, down to the attacking quintette, one could not only fail to detect a weakness, but found it equally difficult to select the most prominent.

Yet I feel constrained to mention the names of Cork, Ridley, Higgins and McGuiness. The first named performed brilliantly at centre-half, carrying out the duties attached to this key position in every detail. Attacks were broken up and forwards fed.

Ridley's Dazzling Display

Ridley has started the season in dazzling style, and on present form I cannot see how he can fail to walk into the representative games, not excluding the Interport. He is the real brains of the Lincoln attacks. But Ridley is not just a schemer His game is sufficiently mobile and clever to allow him to finish off movements which he has himself conceived somewhere about the halfway line.

His own goal on Saturday was a glorious exhibition of individualism. In Higgins and McGuiness he received support which is so often denied the cleverest of tacticians.

Higgins was tireless, and obviously a subscriber to a paraphrase of the old proverb "While the ball's in play, there's hope." In other words he is an opportunist, and this quality earned for him three goals,—a pretty useful afternoon's work.

The Lincolns seem to have made a discovery in McGuiness. The tall inside right revealed many touches not dissimilar to the characteristics of Ridley, and his duels with Morrison were always worth watching.

Li Kwok-ki, the Athletic custodian, runs out to save with his rearguard colleagues giving careful protection against a rush by one of the Police forwards. An incident in yesterday's league match between Chinese Athletic and the Police. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

HOW THEY STAND IN THE TABLES

DIVISION I.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Lincoln Regt.	3	3	0	0	8	1	6
St. Joseph's	2	2	0	0	6	3	4
H.K. Club	3	2	0	1	15	8	4
South China	1	1	0	0	4	1	2
H.K. Police	3	1	0	2	6	3	2
Kowloon	2	1	0	1	3	2	2
R. Navy	2	1	0	1	7	6	2
Athletic	3	1	0	2	3	8	2
S.W. Borderers	2	1	0	1	4	7	2
R.A.	2	0	0	2	3	7	0
Recrtio	3	0	0	3	3	16	0

DIVISION II.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
S.W. Borderers	3	2	0	1	14	7	4
H.K. Club	3	2	0	1	11	7	4
Athletic	3	2	0	1	8	7	4
South China	1	1	0	0	4	0	2
R. Navy	2	1	0	1	7	5	2
Young Indians	2	1	0	1	6	7	2
R. A.	2	1	0	1	5	7	2
Lincoln Regt.	3	1	0	2	8	14	2
Kowloon	3	0	0	3	2	11	0

DIVISION III.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Lincoln Rebt.	3	3	0	0	11	1	6
S.W. Borderers	3	3	0	0	10	3	6
South China	3	2	0	1	6	3	4
Recrtio	3	1	1	1	10	14	3
R.A.S.C.	1	1	0	0	2	0	2
R.A.M.C.	3	1	0	2	15	15	2
R.E.	3	0	2	1	7	8	2
Radio	2	0	1	1	2	6	1
R.A.F.	3	0	0	3	2	8	0
University	2	0	0	2	2	18	0

HARD LUCK POLICE!

DESERVE TO DRAW WITH ATHLETIC

SMART FORWARD LINE

In obtaining their first league points of the season at the expense of the Police yesterday, the Chinese Athletic cannot feel that they covered them selves in glory.

In fact a division of spoils would have only been fair return for the losers whose display of initiative more than once pierced the Athletic's rearguard weaknesses.

The Police were robbed of the services of Brooks early on and it did much to disorganise the team. But it did not break their fighting spirit and twice in the closing stages the Athletic citadel tottered but saved itself.

The Police have a well balanced team full of hard workers. The defence revealed a tendency to become flustered under pressure. The Athletic's last two goals were partially the result of this.

STING EXTRACTED.

Brittain, Channings and Shepherd formed a good enough half back line and succeeded in taking quite a lot of the sting out of one of the cleverest forward lines operating in the league.

Gough, the former Royal Artillery inside forward promises to be an acquisition, although I think the Police will do well to bring him to the middle of the field. He was outside right yesterday and the previous week at right half. Last year he scored a lot of goals and his go-ahead methods might prove of inestimable value from a more favourable position.

Willerton is a trier and his following-up three times embarrassed the Athletic defenders, once to such an extent that the Police scored their second goal.

Green gave an impressive account of himself on the left wing, and if Brooks had not been injured, the Athletic defence might have been riddled.

PLENTY OF INCIDENT.

There was plenty of incident in this game. The first was the initial attack on the Chinese goal which saw the cross-bar struck twice in quick succession. Later McHardy brought off a remarkable save from a penalty. Brooks sustained slight concussion when his head met that of an Athletic defender as they jumped together.

Au Ping-ming opened the Athletic account and he rounded off a delightful movement for the second. Green reduced the lead, but saw it regained before the interval, when Ho Kakeung beat McHardy.

In the second half Willerton bundled Li Kwok-ki into the goal to register the Police second, but the issue was put beyond doubt when Au Kim-fung scored the winners' fourth.

On the Marina ground yesterday afternoon, in a fast friendly hockey fixture, the Incognitos defeated the Jats by five goals to nil. At the interval, the Incognitos led by 3-0. A. P. Sousa claimed three of the goals. J. M. Pinto and R. C. Reed netted one each.

Willerton, whose following-up rushes constantly troubled the Chinese Athletic defence yesterday, is seen here making determined tracks for Li Kwok-ki, who disposed of the ball, but only just in the time. (Ming Yuen).

UNFORTUNATE IRELAND

INJURIES CAUSE THEIR DEFEAT

SPURS TRIUMPH

(By "The Pilgrim")

An England success in the International match with Ireland; two London teams on top of the Senior League and the defeat of Clyde by the Rangers in the Glasgow Cup final, provided a full fare for football fans at Home on Saturday.

A crowd of 35,000 went to Belfast to see the Irishmen lose a gallant fight by three goals to nil.

I say a gallant fight because for a considerable time they were without Priestley of Chelsea who twice had to be carried off. Martin, their leader, received an injury to the face and had to leave the field. An X-ray examination was carried out later.

Brook had put England ahead almost in the first minute of the game and with only nine men to stop them, England twice pierced the home defence, Grosvenor and Bowers scoring one each before Priestley returned after his first injury.

The visitors were strong in defence and were never seriously menaced. They kept their one goal lead to half time and forged ahead after the resumption.

The match was one of the few blessed by fine weather.

The superiority of Rangers over the Clyde Club in the League was reflected in their Cup Final engagement, the winners having a comparatively easy task. It is doubtful if they could have won by such a margin had the final been played last season. Rangers have maintained their 1932-3 form while the runners-up have sadly declined.

SPURS DO IT.

The most exciting fixture in the English League was the visit of the Spurs to Portsmouth. It was rather expected that Pompey would pull off a narrow victory although a toss of the coin would have been a reasonable guide to the result. The White Hart Lane club carried off the honours by a last minute solo goal by O'Calling—a magnificent conclusion to one of the keenest engagements of the season.

Playing without their star, the Irish Priestley, who had been released for the International game, Chelsea delighted Stamford Bridge supporters by twice netting in as many minutes and they were particularly unfortunate in failing to clinch the result with such a good opening. The lowly-placed Middlesbro' were after points and they settled down to a grim and careful game which brought them the requisite three goals and two points.

The recent advent of Newton has been powerfully reflected in the Reading club's last four or five fixtures. The collapse of Watford to the tune of six goals to one brought Reading's goals total to 20 for, and 11 against, which compares very satisfactorily with the adverse totals of 1 and 7—a month ago. Watford were unfortunate in conceding a last minute goal through an injury to their goalkeepr.

CREDIT TO ARSENAL.

Arsenal pulled off a creditable victory over Newcastle at Highbury where Nelson, captain of the visitors, made desperate but unsuccessful attempts to turn the tables.

Blackburn suffered a severe setback at the hands of Everton who registered a margin of six goals. West Bromwich Albion's performance in taking both points from Birmingham, ranked among the finest of the day.

Both Luton and Lincoln confirmed their recent disappointing form by losing at home whilst on the other hand West Ham United journeyed to Notts Forest to bag a brace.

Rotherham wrung a point from New Brighton to add to their little pile whilst Chesterfield went merrily on to retain their leadership of the League by four points.

The invincible Motherwell's margin of five may be reduced as the Rangers' visit to Third Lanark was postponed on account of the final. Another postponed match was that between Celtic and Clyde.

MIXED DOUBLES

L. Goldman and Mrs. Lochner Win

L. Goldman and Mrs. Lochner holders in 1931 and favourites for the title this year, won their first round match in the Colony mixed doubles lawn tennis championship on Thursday, when they beat H. Owen Hughes and Miss H. Hancock 6-3, 6-0, on the U.S.R.C. courts.

FLASHES FROM THE LOCAL SPORTS FIELDS

SATURDAY SOCCER BLUES: SOLDIER PARTISANSHIP: LESSONS FOR SHANGHAI L.B.A.: GOALS!

(By "Veritas").

THERE was some unexpected sorrowing and rejoicing in the various football camps on Saturday night. Those who mourned were the Borderers seniors, the two Navy teams and the Athletic, last year's champions of the second division. The celebrations were by the Lincolns, St. Joseph's, the Young Indians and the Borderers second string.

INCIDENTALLY quite a few 100 per cent. records went west, among them being those of the Borderers in the first division, the Athletic, Artillery, and Navy in the second, and South China in the third.

THE Lincolns, St. Joseph's, and South China in the first division, South China in the second, Borderers, Lincolns, and R.A.S.C., in the third are now the only remaining teams with clean sheets.

SCORING was well up to the average. A total of 71 goals resulted from the dozen games played on Saturday, 27 of which were recorded in the four second division matches, and another 29 in the five third division ties.

LEADING individual net-finders were: Tate of the Lincolns second string (4) and three each for Higgins (Lincolns) Fowler (Club), Nelson (Borderers third string), and Botelho (Recreio).

AN improvement in the state of the ground at Sookunpoo was noticable. At least some sort of effort had been made to shorten the grass, but a little more attention in this direction will do no harm. There were patches where the ball was brought up almost dead, and there were one or two instances of players overrunning.

THERE was a refreshing display of partisanship at the Lincolns and Borderers clash. The more sensitive might resent the mild barracking awarded the players who kicked into touch; the old cries of "Keep it on the Island", and the counting out of the Borderers supporters by the delighted Lincolns followers. But when one appreciates the spirit in which the chaff, advice and expressions of opinion are exchanged, one realises that much of the glamour of the game is to be found in this display of partisanship.

IT was over the telephone on Saturday morning that I was told in a voice approaching resigned despair, that Kowloon second string were turning out half their seniors against the Club reserves that afternoon. Well it wasn't quite as bad as that. Kowloon contented themselves with playing Timberlake and Lewis who, under the league ruling were eligible for the game.

BUT the old adage that it takes more than one swallow to make a summer can be paraphrased to apply to football. Kowloon, even with the aid of two senior playing members could not overcome the superior team play of the Club, who deservedly won.

LAWN BOWLS.

TOMMY Main arrived on the Police Green on Saturday afternoon clutching a black cat and smoking his favourite cheroot. That cat had its tail well up, and was not a bad symbol of the spirit shown by the Shanghai manager-captain.

THE arrangements made by the Police Recreation Club were perfect in every detail. Willing helpers laboured from 7 o'clock on Saturday morning to bring about such a satisfactory state of affairs, and both players and public can afford an appreciative "Thank You."

UP in Shanghai they had the impression that the visitors needed to win this Interport to make the scores level, but actually the position was reversed. Both Ports have now eight Interports to their credit, but as a result of the system of playing three matches, introduced in 1930, Hongkong have won 13 matches to Shanghai's eleven.

PERHAPS it is not Hongkong's business to advise the Shanghai L.B.A., what to do, but it is not to be expected that the Northern Association will misunderstand Mr. J. Russell's references to the value of selecting a separate team manager.

THE desirability of this procedure has been proved beyond doubt in other sports, and Hongkong know from experience how wise a course it is.

IN fact I think the Northerners can gain a lot of valuable experience from the recent series. The selection of a team of skips might, in theory, suggest an unbeatable team. But as in all team games there are positions which

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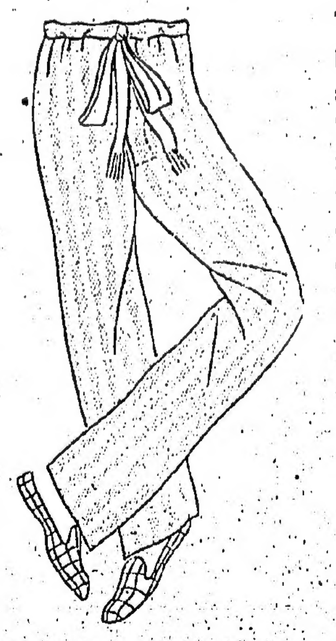

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Chartered Bank, £15½ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £26¼ n.
Mercantile Bank C., £12½ n.
East Asia, $104 n.
Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh. $20 n.
China O. Fin: Ord, Sh.$4.75 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. $5 n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., $325 b.
Union Ins., $570 b.
China Underwriters, $2.10 n.
China Fire, $595 n.
H.K. Fire, Ins., $290 n.
International Assoc. Sh. $6.50 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, $34 b.
H.K. Steamboats, $18 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), $30 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), $35 n.
Shells (Bearer), 55/7½ n.
Union Waterboats, $15 n.

Mining.

Antamoks, $1 n.
Balatocs, $37 n.
Baguio Gold, 75 cts. sa.
Benguets, $47½ n.
Benguet Exploration, 50 cts n.
Benguet Goldfield, 30 cts. n.
Beg Wedge, 40 cts. b.
Gold Creek, $9 n.
Ipo Mining, $6¼ n.
Itogons, $7½ n.
Kailan, 31/3 n.
Langkats (Single), $18¼ n.
S'hai Explorations, Sh. $4.15 n.
S'hai Loans, $6.85 n.
Raubs, $12½ b.
Venz: Goldfields, $5½ n.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, $126 n.
H.K. Docks, $16½ n.
S. China Motors A., $6 n.
S. China Motors B., $8 n.
Providents (old), $3.70 s.
Providents (new), $1.35 n.
Hongkews, Sh. $848 n.
New Engineerings, Sh. $8 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. $147½ n.

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, $14.30 b.
S'hai Cottons, Sh. $108 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. $18 n.
Wing On Textiles Sh. $80 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, $63¾ b.
H.K. Lands, $78 b.
S'hai Lands Sh. $33 n.
Metropolitan Lands. Sh. $14. n
Humphreys, $12.80 b.
H.K. Realties, $7.50 b.
Asia Realties "A" Sh. $140 n.
Asia Realties "B" Sh. $20 n.
Chinese Estates, $92 n.
China Realties, Sh. $15½ n.
China Debenture, Sh.$137 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, $22.30 b.
Peak Trams (Old), $15¾ n.
Peak Trams, (new), $7¾ n.
Star Ferries, $99½ b.
Yaumati Ferries (old), $22 b.
China Lights (old), $11.75 n.
China Lights (new), $11.50 n.
H.K. Electrics, $40½ b.
Macao Electrics, $23 n.
Sandakan Lights, $10½ n.
Telephones (old), $35¼ n.
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TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

RELAY FROM THE KO SHING THEATRE IN THE EVENING

6-8 p.m. European programme.
6-6.35 p.m. A Concert.
Band—Play Gypsy (Kalman).
Band—Blue Forget-me-not (Banffy).
Hungarian Gypsy Band. B4082
Song—Philomel (From "Monsieur Beaucaire") (Roos and Messager).
Song—Villanelle (Bache and Dell 'Acqua).
Miriam Licette (Soprano). DB633
Piano Solo—Album Leaf (Grieg).
Piano Solo—Capriccio (Brahms).
Harold Bauer. 1413
Song—A Prayer to Our Lady (Ford).
Song—Bless This House (Brahe).
John McCormack (Tenor). 1625
Violin Solo—Slavonic Dance, No. 1 (Dvorak-Kreisler).
Violin Solo—Songs my Mother Taught Me (Dvorak-Kreisler).
Fritz Kreisler. 1414
6.35-7 p.m.
Concerto Grosso—(Ernest Bloch).
Philadelphia Chamber String Sinfonietta conducted by Fabien Sevitzky. M-66
7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.
7.3-8 p.m. Variety.
Orchestral—Isn't It a pity
Victor Arden-Phil Ohman and Their Orchestra. 24206.
Vocal Trio—12th Street Rag.
Orchestral—Clover Blossoms.
The Old Apple Trio. 24311
Orchestral—Hats Off Here Comes a Lady.
Orchestral—Look Who's Here.
Ted Weems and His Orchestra. 24208
Piano Solo—Please.
Piano Solo—I'll Follow You.
Raie da Costa. B4363
Humorous—A Gay Caballero.
Humorous—I Learned About Women from Her.
Frank Crumit (Comedian) 21735
Organ Solo—A Kiss in the Dark.
Organ Solo—Pale Moon.
Jesse Crawford. 24282
Song—Dear Old Mother Dixie
Mildred Bailey (Comedienne).
Orchestral—Forbidden Love.
Wayne King and His Orchestra. 24137
Orchestral—Just Because You're You.
Orchestral—Just a Little Home for the Old Folks.
Don Bestor and His Orch: 24177
Piano Solo—The Fairies' Gavotte.
Piano Solo—Serenade.
Raie da Costa. B4030
Orchestral—Bird Songs at Eventide.
Orchestral—A Brown Bird Singing.
Ray Noble and His New Mayfair Orchestral. 24211
8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.
8.3-11.30 p.m A relay from the Ko Shing Theatre.
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NOISES I WOULD LIKE TO SEE STOPPED

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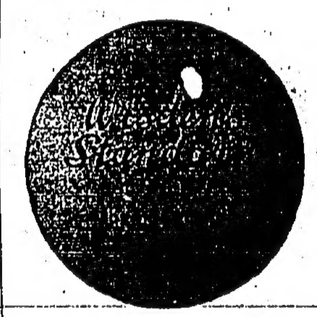

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Sylvia Sidney and George Raft appear together for the first time on the screen in the Vina Delmar story, "Pick Up". The picture opened yesterday at the Queen's Theatre exhibiting itself as a tender and human romance of young love, shot through with thrills and tragedy.

The story of "Pick Up," a B. P. Schulberg production, is the story of a girl, released from prison to shift for herself. Still behind the bars is her husband, whom she detests, on a murder charge. Once out, the girl finds herself facing starvation. She allows a taxi-driver to pick her up, achieves a fondness for him which ripens into love, and has to refuse to marry him because of her previous marriage.

Through her encouragement the taxi driver goes into the garage business, waxing prosperous. Becoming society-minded, he starts chasing a wealthy girl, only to discover when almost too late, that his "pick-up" girl is the one who really matters.

In a series of dramatic scenes the picture moves swiftly to its conclusion, bringing in the girl's husband, who has escaped from prison to reclaim his wife. The story builds to an exciting climax, in which the love of the girl and her man is threatened. It is a dramatic tale of power to which Sylvia Sidney and George Raft contribute what are probably their finest performances.

"Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp"

Supported by a cast including three internationally-famous comedians who recently returned to the screen after extended stage engagements, Al Jolson is at the King's Theatre to-day, in "Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp", upon the screen for the first time in more than two years.

Jolson, first in the talkies, introduces a new screen technique which is confidently expected to revolutionize picture making. Discarding most of the normal methods of the motion picture studios, the star presents his new story in what is variously called "Musical dialogue" and "photographic music."

His picture is something like 60 per cent musical, but the music and lyrics are an inherent part of the story instead of being songs, as such. There is only about ten per cent of spoken dialogue. The story of "Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp", written especially for Jolson by Ben Hecht, is brought to the screen with Madge Evans in the principal feminine role and with Frank Morgan, Harry Langdon and Chester Conklin in the principal masculine parts.

With the exception of Miss Evans and Morgan, the entire cast plays strange characters, who glory in such names as Bumper, Egghead, Captain Hell, Scurv, Acorn, Ma Sunday and Apple Mary.

The story is laid in modern-day New York, against the background of Central Park, Wall Street, the tenement districts and haunts of the rich. Jolson, minus blackface and playing a character totally unlike any he has ever brought to the screen or stage, will sing throughout the picture.

The songs and musical dialogue are from the pens of Lorenz Hart and Richard Rodgers, well-known composer team of Broadway and Hollywood. The pair stumbled upon the germ of their new musical ideas while working on a Chevalier picture, and now they have fully developed the technique in the Jolson film.

"Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp" is a Lewis Milestone production.

"Moonlight and Pretzels"

Lou Carrillo is more than just one of the outstanding actors of the American stage and screen. He is an arts foundation. He can paint, he can draw, he can sculp, he can write, he can sing, he can play, he is a linguist, and he is an accredited historian.

Carrillo who has a strong character role in Universal's backstage musical romance, "Moonlight and Pretzels," which opens on Thursday at the King's Theatre, is now writing a book dealing with the early days of California from an historical standpoint. He is a poet of ability, and recently produced a volume of verse under the title, "Western Breezes". He is a polo player whose prowess is recognized all over the United States. He is an accomplished linguist, and is the only American acter who is an adept conversationalist in Chinese and Japanese.

Because his ancestors were Italian and Spanish, even in his amateur days he specialised in dialect characterizations of these two nationalities, and subsequent stage appearances often found him playing such parts. There were 'Lombardi, Ltd.' 'Mister Antonio', 'The Padre', 'The Bad Man', and other such plays—but the role which gave him the greatest pleasure was Tarkington's 'Magnolia'.

In "Moonlight and Pretzels," Carrillo deserts his Italian dialect and assumes that of a Greek, the role being that of a big-time gambler. Also among the galaxy of stage, screen and radio artists, are Roger Pryor, youthful Broadway stage star who makes his picture debut in this Universal musical, Alexander Gray, Bernice Claire, Jack Denny and his orchestra, Doris Carson, The Four Eton Boys, Herbert Rawlinson, the famous Frank and Milt Britton.

"Disgraced!"

Helen Twelvetrees, Bruce Cabot, Adrienne Ames, William Harrigan and Ken Murray play the leading roles in "Disgraced!" Paramount's poignant story of a woman who found out she was too modern, which comes on Thursday to the Queen's Theatre.

Miss Twelvetrees plays the role of an attractive model. Cabot, climbing another step or the ladder to stardom plays the other leading role, that of a wealthy young man-about-town. Dark-eyed Miss Ames is cast as a sophisticated socialite, Cabot's fiancee. Harrigan plays the role of Miss Twelvetrees' father, a police captain. Murray is the latter's friend.

The story centres about Miss Twelvetrees, who arouses Cabot's interest the moment he sees her. He pays ardent court to her, and she is soon convinced that their love is reciprocal. When he tells her that he is about to break off his engagement to Miss Ames, she yields to him completely. All this of course, is kept from Harrigan, the father.

But shortly thereafter Miss Twelvetrees is called upon to model a wedding gown for Miss Ames, and learns that she and Cabot are to be married within a few days. Stunned at first, she is coldly furious after the shock wears off. Pocketing a pistol, she goes to Cabot.

He succeeds in locking her into a closet before she can use the gun, and calls for the police. Harrigan, the girl's police-captain father, is sent to the scene. What happens when he finds his daughter has been betrayed, and that her betrayer is here at hand, results in a daring denouement.

MOTOR MISHAP.

CRASHES INTO LAMP STANDARD

A European and a Chinese are now lying seriously injured at Kowloon Hospital as the result of a motor accident which occurred in Laichikok Road, Shamshuipo, shortly after 5 p.m. yesterday.

According to the report given to the Police, motor car No. 64, driven by a Chinese chauffeur with Mr. R. Moore, a mechanical engineer of No. 264, Fook Wing Street, Mr. Chung Sui-hon, of No. 33, Caine Road, and Mr. Wai Po-cheung, of No. 59, Bonham Road, as passengers, was returning to Kowloon from Castle Peak Road at about 5 p.m. In Laichikok Road near Shamshuipo, the driver tried to overtake another car which was on the road, but hit a lamp standard. All the glass in the car was shattered.

Serious injuries were received by Mr. Moore and Mr. Chung, and they were admitted to Kowloon Hospital in a grave condition. Mr. Wai Po-cheung escaped with only slight injuries. The chauffeur was unscathed.

Mr. Wai Po-cheung is well-known locally as a former journalist, who is now with Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, the firm of solicitors.

Inquiries made at Kowloon Hospital last night revealed that both Mr. Moore and Mr. Chung were still in a serious condition.

MANCHUKUO PLOT.

ATTEMPTS TO OVERTHROW PRESENT REGIME

Harbin, Oct. 15.

A plot aimed at the overthrow of the Manchukuo regime is alleged to have been unearthed following the arrest of a Manchukuo official of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

The identity of the official is undisclosed. His office was previously raided and incriminating documents are reported to have been found, involving others whose arrest the authorities are now seeking.—*Reuter.*

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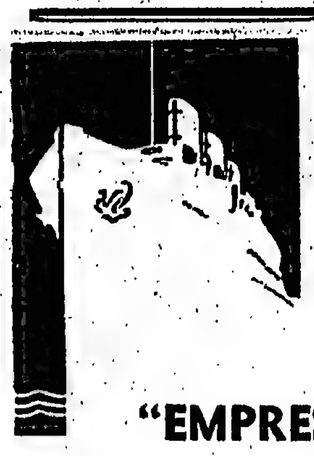

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OBITUARY

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London, Oct. 14.

Professor Frederick William Hall, President of St. John Baptist College, Oxford, has died. —*Our Own Correspondent.*

A man of scholarly distinction with a tutorial record extending over many years, Professor Hall's death will be mourned by many former students now scattered all over the world.

From 1892 to 1897 he was Assistant Master at Westminster, then becoming Fellow and Lecturer at St. John's College where he remained until 1931. He was Tutor in 1900 and Senior Tutor from 1925 until 1931, when he accepted the Presidency.

In addition to being Co-Editor of the Classical Quarterly for 20 years, Professor Hall was University Lecturer in Greek and Latin Literature and was one of the Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum, Oxford. His publications were "The Fourth Verrine of Cicero", "Aristophanis Comoediae" with W. M. Geldart and "A Handbook to Classical Texts."

Professor Hall was the eldest son of the late William Hall, formerly Chief Accountant of the London and County Bank. He was unmarried.

MRS. LIMA GUTIERREZ.

Old Portuguese Resident Passes Away.

The death occurred at St. Paul's (French Convent) Hospital on Saturday of Mrs. Roza da Lima Gutierrez, one of the oldest members of the Portuguese community, at the age of 56. The deceased was admitted to Hospital earlier in the week, suffering from bronchitis which developed into pneumonia. She is survived by three nephews one, of whom, Mr. Luiz Gutierrez, is in Hongkong, and also by three nieces.

The funeral was held in the afternoon, at the Roman Catholic Cemetery, the Rev. Fr. Rossello officiating. Amongst those present were Mr. L. Gutierrez (chief mourner), the Misses Gutierrez, Mrs. M.A. Gutierrez (sister-in-law), and Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Xavier.

MR. WALTER W. COLE.

Death of Local Resident After Long Illness.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Walter William Cole, formerly Accountant of Messrs. Davie, Bong & Co., Ltd., which occurred at the Matilda Hospital yesterday afternoon, after a long illness.

A native of London, the deceased worked for the firm of Messrs. Warde, Sturt & Sharp, London, from 1883 until 1924 when he came to Hongkong and joined the firm of Messrs. Davie, Bong, with whom he remained till the middle of last year.

Deceased is survived by his wife, two sons, Messrs. C. W. Liddon Cole of Messrs. Shewan Tomes & Co., and A. L. Cole, of the Government Service, and two daughters, Miss Rita Cole, also of Messrs. Shewan Tomes, and Mrs. H. O. Tong, who is in Shanghai, to all of whom general sympathy will be extended in their bereavement.

The funeral will pass the Monument this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

In the bidding of a hand at contract we are always looking for the safety of the hand. There are also safety plays in the play of the hand. A good example of playing a hand safe is given in the following hand which came up in a recent tournament at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The Bidding.

South and West passed and North opened with one club. East overcalled with one heart. South bid one no trump, West passed and North bid two no trump. South went to three no trump.

The Play

The opening lead was the nine of hearts, which East won with the king. He returned the five of hearts and the trick was won in dummy with the ace.

Some players might make the mistake now of trying to break the clubs by leading the ace and king, hoping they would split three-two—and then complain of hard luck if this play did not work. However, there is a safer way to play the hand.

You should assume that the two missing honours will be divided. Playing on this assumption, let us try to establish the club suit safely before control of the heart suit is knocked out.

The proper play is the ace of

	♠K-9-5-3 ♥A-7 ♦8-5 ♣A-K-9-5-2	
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clubs from dummy, and then, a small club. On this club East will show out, playing the seven of diamonds. The declarer then plays his ten and West wins the trick with the jack. The declarer has a perfect tenace in dummy with the king-nine over West's queen-six of clubs.

East returns the deuce of hearts, which the declarer wins with the queen and then takes the club finesse. He runs the king and five of clubs, the ace of diamonds and the ace and king of spades for three no trump, while if he had tried to break the club suit by playing the ace and king, his contract would have been defeated.

FERRY HITS JUNK.

H.M.S. SUFFOLK AIDS IN EMERGENCY

Passengers going across the harbour from Hongkong on the Meridian Star at 7.25 p.m. yesterday, well alarmed when the ferry-launch struck a junk, No. 685, which was carrying a cargo of wood. The junk was just clearing the ferry-launch when the collision occurred.

Fortunately no-one was hurt aboard the junk, nor thrown overboard by the force of the impact.

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"Doctrine of Atonement" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which was read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was: "All things are of God, who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ, and hath given to us the ministry of reconciliation" (II Cor. 5:18).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Then drew near unto him all the publicans and sinners for to hear him. And the Pharisees and scribes murmured, saying, This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them. And he spake this parable unto them, saying. What man of you, having an hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it? And when he hath found it, he layeth it on his shoulders, rejoicing..... I say unto you, that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance" (Luke 1-5,7).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, 'Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Every pang of repentance and suffering, every effort for reform, every good thought and deed, will help us to understand Jesus' atonement for sin and aid its efficacy; but if the sinner continues to pray and repent, sin and be sorry, he has little part in the atonement,—in the *at-one-ment* with God, for he lacks the practical repentance, which reforms the heart;...." (p.19).

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SCHOOL'S BAZAAR

ST. PAUL'S GIRLS COLLEGE HOLDS FUNCTION

A bazaar in aid of the Ministering Children's League was held by the St. Paul's Girls College branch, in the great hall of the College, at Macdonnell Road on Saturday afternoon. The function included a number of features, such as the one and two dollar stalls, where a large variety of useful and seasonable goods were available for visitors at a cost which combined the pleasure of buying with that of charity-giving.

The opening ceremony was performed by Mrs. R. O. Hall, wife of the Bishop, who was warmly welcomed on her first visit to the College.

The proceedings were opened by the Chairman, Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall.

Welcome to Mrs. Hall.

The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall said.—My Lord Bishop, Mrs. Hall, Dr. Woo, ladies and gentlemen, the pleasing duty I am now performing rightly belongs to his Lordship the Bishop, but Dr. Woo thought that the Bishop may be too shy to stand before you and welcome his own wife and to say some good words about her, although I don't see why he should not. At the same time Dr. Woo was giving me this great pleasure to say these few words which Mrs. Hall so very much deserves.

I should like in the name of the St. Paul's Girls College, to extend to Mrs. Hall a hearty welcome on this her first visit to the College. I should like also to thank her very warmly for the kind interest she has taken in us by coming here to perform the ceremony of opening this bazaar. I feel that from the College Council, not even excluding his Lordship, right down to the youngest pupil of the College, we could count on Mrs. Hall for her sympathetic support in all our endeavours having for their object the welfare of the College (Applause). Probably all of you know the objects of our annual bazaar. The proceeds of this year's bazaar will go to the Ministering Children's League and other charities; but part of that will also go towards replenishment of the funds of the College. Recently we have strengthened our staff in order to raise the standard of the school, and this necessitates additional expenditure.

Facing a Deficit.

Unfortunately our funds are rather low, and we are facing a deficit of $5,000 if not $6,000 next year. The Council has thought that in these hard times instead of writing to our friends for donations and subscriptions, the best means of raising the necessary funds will be to get what can be got out of this bazaar. Knowing your generosity in the past, I am sure you you will spend all your can. In so doing you will not be giving away your money. From what I can see around me, I am sure you will get all your money's worth.

I should like to take this opportunity to welcome home the Principal of the College, Dr. Woo and what is more, to congratulate her on the signal honour which the University of Southern California has recently conferred upon her. (Applause).

I will now ask Mrs. Hall to be good enough to declare this bazaar open. (Applause).

Mrs. Hall formally declared the bazaar open, and was presented by two of the youngest pupils, with a beautiful basket of flowers.

REICHSTAG FIRE

SENSATIONAL ARREST OF FOREIGN LAWYERS

Berlin, Oct. 14.

Four foreign lawyers, Mr. Leo Gallagher, of the United States, M. Willard, of France, and M. M. Detcheff and Gregoroff, of Bulgaria, who are attending the Reichstag Fire Trial here, were to-day summoned to leave the Court by detectives, during a brief interval in the proceedings.

They were taken to an adjoining room and deprived of their entrance cards and later were conducted to the police station for examination.

This action is stated to be the sequel to a letter they had written to Dimitroff's counsel, who was appointed by the Court urging him to protest exclusion of Dimitroff, who is charged with high treason from the Court.

The letter sought to justify Dimitroff's attitude towards German justice.

The President of the Court, Dr. Buenger, characterised the letter as a monstrous slander.—*Reuter.*

Three of Four Banned.

Berlin, Oct. 15.

Three of the foreign lawyers, Messrs. Willard, Detcheff and Gregoroff, after a police examination, have been expelled from Germany.

Leo Gallagher, the American lawyer, has been exempted from the expulsion order, in view of the fact that Torgler's counsel specifically invited him to attend the trial.—*Reuter.*

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EUROPEAN CREW ESCAPE

Three European members of the Armoured Car Company, H.K.V.D.C. had a narrow escape yesterday when involved in an accident during firing practice in the New Territories.

The armoured section consists of three cars which at about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, were carrying out combined operations on the Fanling-Shataukok Road, New Territories.

Two practices by the cars proceeding along in line and firing one after the other at a target, a copse across the paddyfields, had been carried out. The accident occurred during the third practice.

No. 1 Car, bringing up the rear, was travelling at about 30 miles an hour, firing at the target, when it left the road, and fell into a wet paddy field on the left side of the road. The car, weighing five-and-a-half tons, rolled heavily over on its side, and came to a rest in soft mud.

The turret dropped off, and the three crew, including the driver, Pte. N. Mathieson, who were trapped within, were able to crawl out through the hole.

Although the car had dropped about four feet none of the crew were injured beyond a shaking.

The crew of the car comprised Pte. N. Mathieson (driver) and Ptes. J. H. Bradford and Edkins. Lt. Wright was in charge of the Armoured Car Section. At the time of the mishap he was watching the firing practice from a spot 200 yards away.

The car was deeply imbedded in the soft earth. It was being salvaged this morning.

BYE-ELECTIONS IN ENGLAND

Government's Strength to be Tested

A miniature general election is now pending and is likely to indicate the strength or otherwise of the support for the present National Government throughout the country.

The death last week, of Mr. N. W. Smith-Carington, Conservative member for the Rutland and Stamford Division, brings the number of bye-elections to six, the other five being Kilmarnock (where a four-cornered contest is likely between Socialist, Independent Labour Party, Scottish Party and Scottish National Party candidates), Market Harborough, East Fulham, Skipton and Rusholme, Manchester.

The last four of these returned Conservatives by overwhelming majorities at the last election. The Labour Party will oppose the Government candidates in all those divisions and Liberal candidates also are likely at Market Harbourough, Skipton and Rusholme.—*Reuter.*

SHANGHAI-CANTON AIR LINE

ANOTHER TEST FLIGHT SHORTLY

Shanghai, Oct. 16.

It is announced that the China Aviation Company will undertake a second trial flight on the Shanghai-Canton line on the 21st. inst. and the inauguration of the air service between the two cities is scheduled for the 24th. inst.—*Central News Agency.*

BERLIN REPORT OF DEPORTATIONS

Soviet Denies Action Against Engineers

Moscow, Oct. 15.

It is denied in Soviet circles that there is any basis for the report emanating from Berlin declaring that all German engineers in Russia are being deported to make room for French engineers.—*Reuter.*

Thieves Strip House of Furniture

REVELATIONS BY POLICE

That the whole furniture in a house had been stolen was the amazing revelation made by Inspector Shaftain at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when he charged a man named Chang Fook before Mr. Wynne-Jones with larceny of several hinges.

Inspector Shaftain said the house belonged to Mr. J. H. da Roza and was situated at Kowloon Tong. It was furnished but was seldom occupied, Mr. da Roza leaving a Chinese house-keeper to look after the property.

The house-keeper's wife stated to the Police that she had seen defendant working at the hinges of the windows with a screw-driver but she was too frightened to do anything. She told her husband and he reported it to the Police.

ALL GONE.

After making investigations, the Police arrested defendant on Saturday. He admitted stealing the hinges, but denied any knowledge of the other property stolen from the house.

The Magistrate.—All the furniture is gone?

Inspector Shaftain.—Yes, everything is gone.

Sentence of six weeks' hard labour was imposed.

MIDNIGHT CAR MISHAP

POLICE SEEKING DRIVER

EUROPEAN SAID TO BE CONCERNED

Kowloon police are searching for the European driver of a car which crashed into a pedestrian island on Nathan Road at about half an hour after midnight.

The incident occurred almost opposite the Mongkok Police Station and the car was overturned as the result of the collision. The occupant escaped with very slight injuries it is believed.

A Fire Brigade appliance was brought into service to enable the car to be righted, whereupon the driver got inside and drove away. It was understood from him that he was merely testing the vehicle.

The police are now anxious to get into touch with him. It is stated that they have the number of the car.

Sir Henry Pollock's address to the Rotary Club, announced for to-morrow, on the New Territories, has been postponed.

GERMANY'S TEMPER

SITUATION REALLY NO WORSE

THE WAY OF THE SWASHBUCKLER

London, Oct. 16.

Caution is the watchword of the London morning newspaper, all of whom devote lengthy leading articles to the secession of Germany from the League and from the Disarmament Conference.

All of them, while admitting that the League has suffered a serious setback, deprecate any alarmist agitation and appeal for a cool and calm appreciation of the realities of the situation.

The *Daily Telegraph* declares that no ground exists to-day for any fear that peace is endangered by the latest and most sensational proof of the spirit by which German policy is guided under the Nazi dictatorship.

HITLERITE TEMPER.

The Hitlerite temper of aggressive nationalism has been a bad influence on the prospects of disarmament and the cause of international appeasement.

To-day, the situation is no worse. There is still a possibility that it may be improved.

FOUR-POWER PACT.

The terms of the Four-Power Pact signed by Germany may provide a means of taking up anew the threads of negotiations on the German claim. Signor Mussolini has always held that a solution could more easily be attained by this means rather than by the methods of Geneva and events may justify his pre-vision.

NO TIME FOR PANIC.

The *Morning Post* also asserts that this is no time for panic and urges the acceptance of Herr Hitler's offer to negotiate a settlement with all nations in order to test the sincerity of the profession of the German Government that the people of Germany are united in will to follow a policy of peace, conciliation and understanding.

DAILY MAIL WARNING.

The *Daily Mail* says that if the Germans' decision is carried out, the League will be left in a tottering condition.

The danger lies in the possibility that Hitler's action may prompt other Powers to take counter-measures, which might be pregnant with very grave results.

The task of the British Government should be to see that the Empire is not involved in such complications.—*Reuter.*

"TIMES" COMMENT.

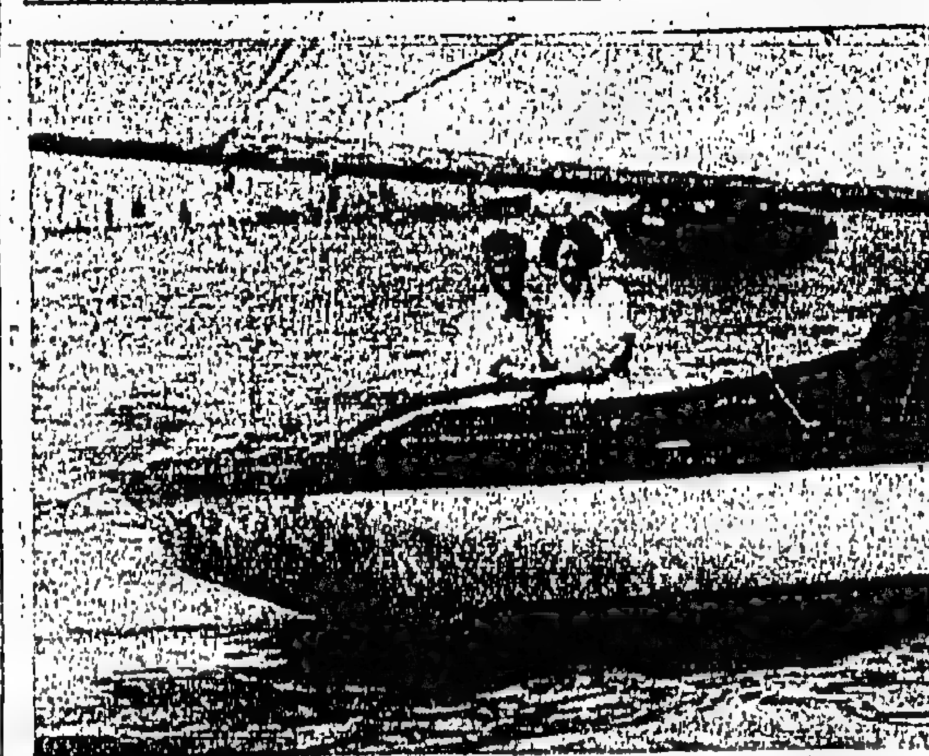
The Times urges the public to avoid loose talk of threatened war and appeals to the governments to produce to the world the scheme that Germany rejected on the eve of its conclusion.

It is the first plain duty of the leading governments of the world to show Hitler that the ways of the swashbuckler and the hothead will bring him no successes in diplomacy.

The Germans should be brought to understand that by far the greatest obstacle to the attainment of a Disarmament Convention is the deliberate and incessant militarisation of the German people. Their own moral disarmament is the supreme and most urgent requirement of European peace.

LIBERAL HOPES.

The *News-Chronicle* urges that the Disarmament Convention must go through and expresses the hope that Hitler's pacific declaration implies that the door is not irrevocably slammed.—*Reuter.*



Embarked on the seas of matrimony. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Easterbrook photographed at the commencement of their honeymoon cruise after their wedding on Saturday. The bride's going-away costume consisted of shorts and shirt. She was formerly Miss Audrey Sykes. (Photo: King's Studio).

MUNICH "OMEN" DRAMA

NAZI SYMBOL SHATTERS

SHOCK FOR HERR HITLER

SILVER HAMMER INCIDENT

QUEER AFFAIR

Munich, Oct. 15.

An incident full of bad omen for the superstitious occurred at Munich this afternoon at the laying of the foundation stone of a new art gallery by Herr Hitler.

A beautiful silver hammer, which the Nazi leader was using for the first time for ceremonial purposes, shattered in his hand.

A profound shock was caused throughout the distinguished company, which included the Papal Nuncio, Prince August Wilhelm, Dr. Goebbels, the Minister of Propaganda, and Baron von Neurath, as well as nearly all the German State Governors and the foreign consular officials in Munich.

COMPANY SHOCKED.

Everyone was thunderstruck.

The Bavarian Minister of the Interior handed the Chancellor the silver hammer, conferring it upon Herr Hitler "as a symbol of the future of the Nazi movement."

He expressed the hope that the Chancellor would use it on all similar occasions.

Herr Hitler applied it to the foundation stone.

The hammer broke in half at the first tap.

The whole company gasped.

SPEECH GOES UNDELIVERED.

Hitler was most affected. He sat down heavily in his chair and did not deliver the speech he had prepared.

In an earlier speech, he dissipated fears that the Government of the Reich intended to attempt to break down the customs and characters of the various German States as a result of the policy of unifying the Reich. He declared that these customs would be held sacrosanct.—*Reuter.*

H.M.S. Suffolk left Hongkong this morning for exercises and will return on Thursday; and the U.S. Gunboat Mindinao left for Canton. The French sloop Savorgnan de Brazza is expected to arrive on October 24 and will leave on November 2.

SHANGHAI GUN DUELS

RUSSIAN KILLED BY ROBBER

FIERCE SHOOTING AFFRAYS

Shanghai, Oct. 16.

During a raid on a house in the French Concession last night a gunman opened fire, killing a Russian detective, M. A. Meitzaloff, and a Chinese detective attached to the French police.

Another police officer was wounded, and in the confusion the gunman escaped on to the roof-tops.

Later, the police stopped and searched a Chinese suspect in the same neighbourhood.

Breaking away from the searchers, the Chinese opened fire with a revolver. After a hot exchange of fire between the gunman and the police, the suspect dropped with eight bullets in his body.

It later transpired that the gravely wounded gunman and the man who killed Meitzaloff were one and the same person.—*Reuter.*

OXFORD BEAT CAMBRIDGE

IN TENNIS MATCH AT MOUNTAIN LODGE

At the kind invitation of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel, a lawn tennis match between teams representing Oxford and Cambridge was played yesterday at Mountain Lodge in ideal conditions, and resulted in a win for Oxford by 11 sets to 7 (89 games to 72).

The first pair on each side each won 5 sets out of 6, but Oxford had the better balanced team and eventually won rather easily.

SCORES.

Captain Cannon & G. Pilcher (Oxford) tied with C.E. Holmes and J. Barrow 8-6, 6-5; beat R.R. Todd and J.L. Tetley 6-3, 6-3; beat J.C. Richardson and R.E. Lindsell 6-4, 6-2.

Rev. N. Evans and S.W. Liang (Oxford) lost to Holmes & Barrow 2-6, 1-6; tied with Todd & Tetley 6-3, 5-6; beat Richardson and Lindsell 6-2, 6-1.

D.B. Evans & N.L. Smith (Oxford) lost to Holmes & Barrow 5-6, 4-6; tied with Todd & Tetley 6-1, 3-6; beat Richardson & Lindsell 6-5, 6-1.

LOYALIST ADVANCE

PRINCE TAKES TO FLIGHT

SIAM OFFICIAL CLAIMS

The revolt in Siam is collapsing according to one report, while another suggests that the Navy has joined the rebellion and that the situation is extremely grave.

Penang, Oct. 16.

Steamer passengers arriving here from Bangkok declare that the Siamese Navy has joined in the revolt staged by Prince Bovaraddej.

It is also declared that the rebel forces have seized the Government's chief arsenal.

The important station of Petchburi is reported to be in the hands of the rebels.—*Reuter.*

PRINCE IN FLIGHT.

A later Reuter message, from Singapore, quotes the Siamese Consul-General there as saying that official information has been received from the Bangkok Government declaring that the loyal troops are advancing steadily against the rebels, while the provincial forces, who lack supplies, are beginning to desert en masse.

It is reported that Prince Bovaradej has fled from Siam by aeroplane.

SINO-JAPANESE RUMOURS

DENIED BY HUANG FU

Peiping, Oct. 15.

The rumours arising out of the impending departure of Messrs. Yen Tung and Li Chek Yi, members of the Luantung Retrocession Commission, for Japan, that they are going to open negotiations with the Japanese Government for the settlement of basic Sino-Japanese problems, is denied by General Huang Fu, Chairman of the Peking Administration.

He said that they are going to secure a final settlement of the Luantung problem only. Some districts in the zone were still under Japanese control—*Central News Agency.*

THE TYPHOON

POSITION NOT AT ALL CERTAIN

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone over N. China has decreased in intensity.

The typhoon is probably situated about 400 miles east of N. Luzon, moving north. No observations are available from Cape Padaran, and it is probable that the depression or typhoon is near the coast in that vicinity.

Local forecast:—North-east winds, fresh; fine generally.

SERIOUS MISHAP TO SMALL BOY

Geoffrey White, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. White of Kowloon Docks, who was seriously injured early yesterday morning in a fall from a verandah, was this morning reported to be going on as well as could be expected.

The unfortunate lad fell on his face, shattering the jawbone and causing complicated compound fracture.

General Hugh Johnson makes a public appeal for support for his Recovery Campaign.

FREEING BANK DEPOSITS

A LIQUIDATION BOARD

MORE CONCEALED INFLATION?

Washington, Oct. 15.

Another colossal effort is being made by President Roosevelt with a view to the re-opening of banks and releasing frozen assets.

The President has announced the immediate creation of a Deposit Liquidation Board.

The duties of the Board will be to assist the depositors of the closed banks by lending them about a thousand million dollars.

It will also be entrusted with the task of ensuring a more orderly liquidation of the frozen assets of the closed banks.

R.F.C. ACTION.

In addition, a special division within the Finance Reconstruction Corporation will disburse funds in proportion to the assets of the banks which have closed down since January 1 up to a maximum of fifty per cent. of their deposits, including any distribution of funds which may have already been made.—*Reuter.*

STOP PRESS

Tokyo, Oct. 16.

A Foreign Office spokesman today ridiculed the idea that Germany's action in leaving the League of Nations and the Disarmament Conference tended to a rapprochement between Germany and Japan.

The spokesman said that Japanese foreign policy laid down at the time of the Japanese withdrawal from the League, was unchanged by any alteration in the European situation.

He concluded by denying as "too absurd" the rumour that Germany had conferred with Japan before her action.—*Reuter.*

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Serviceable New Autumn Costumes

Bicycling Costume, With Divided Skirt and Belted Jacket, Hits Novel Note

By Joan Savoy.

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Since bicycling has come back with a bang, the chances are that you'll pedal your way to success. So get yourself one smart bicycle costume.

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The model is in brown. But in Parisian manner, you draw on a handsome pair of green suede gloves, a matching green suede belt and tie, and you are all set.

YOUR CHILDREN

Avoid "Priming" A Child for School

By Olive Roberts Barton

"I'm glad Peggy is starting school," said her mother. "She's getting beyond me."

"They soon straighten them out," agreed her friend. "I hope that you will like school, Peggy."

Peggy said, "Yes'm" was corrected and tried to give a better answer.

But her thoughts were not on manners. She was thinking about that "straightening out." What could it mean? What did they do to you there?

Classroom Fear.

She didn't want to be straightened out. She didn't want to go to school at all. She called school square. Everything square. Square books, square blackboards, square desks, square everything. Lines and rows and squares. She had visited school with Lois and when she came home she felt that she never wanted to go to that place again.

"So you're going to school this Autumn, Peggy!"

Everywhere she turned someone said that to her.

And her mother would answer for her. "Yes, and I'm so glad. She is running wild and needs to be doing something. You know they make them walk the chalk line and the children turn into different people."

Lois added her bit. "When you go to school you can't do that. If you don't behave you'll catch it. You mustn't whisper. If you're dumb they'll put you in a back seat."

Already she was planning ways to defeat this great machine that was to catch and crush her.

Another Attitude.

Up in the mountains a fine woman with clear eyes, not yet rested, was saying, "I must be getting home soon. School won't be long now. I dread this time of year. I always call it the frightening period. About half the children who start in have been talked at all summer until they are like nervous little rabits. Either that or they are determined not to submit.

"I wish people wouldn't worry these babies before hand. Just let them take it for granted and let them walk in without a lot of priming. It takes me weeks to unscare them and assure them that they won't be eaten or beaten.

"Sometimes it's the other way and they are promised a Roman holiday just to get them there. That's almost as bad. The best way is to talk very little at all and act as though school were as natural as breakfast or the sun."

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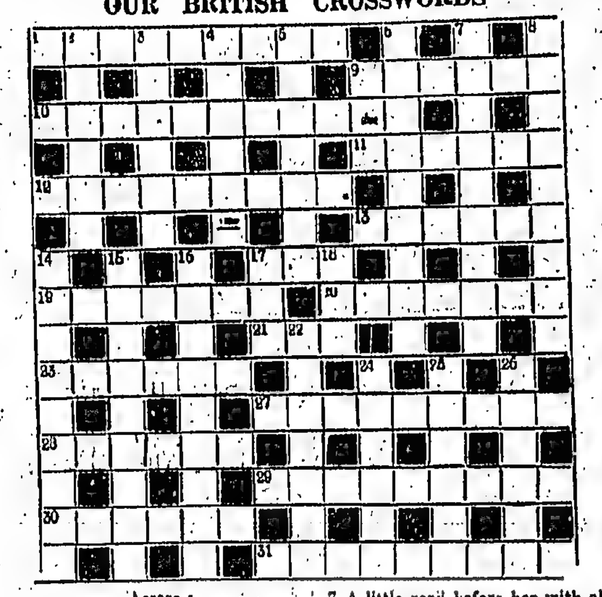

Across

1 Very pleased to show you a light-hearted document.
9 Rally, with a vote facing you!
10 Play involving careful treatment.
11 Its interpretation is manifold; to start with, it has 504!
12 Futile advice to a flea: there's no limit to it.
13 A gentleman of France.
17 If you fail to get it irate, it may present an 'orrible appearance.
18 "From Nature doth—come, and moods
Of calmness equally are Nature's gift" (Wordsworth's "Prelude").
20 On a legal document rather larger than a place in Exodus (two words).
21 If it were under the mains, it would be something to lean on.
23 Public school.
27 Great composer.
28 If forks were dilemmas, these would be their horns.
29 Serves abroad, but may be the object of the dainty policeman's aspirations (two words).
30 Firth.
31 See scales (anagram).

Down

2 Chief among journalists.
3 Considering the amount of water about, it ought to be all right for iris-growing.
4 You'll find me in sacred surroundings; you couldn't call me comely, but I'm mighty near it!
5 Pardons.
6 A national hero.
7 A little road before her with all the rest between will help the oarswoman with her stroke.
8 In a short time.
14 This is simply rot.
15 Irish county catspaws to go on strike (two words).
16 Out of the nursery menagerie (hyphen).
17 You'll see it in the pantry.
18 Curious family! Paul was the curiousest.
22 Name one, and take care how you change it.
24 Cuts fancied by gamblers? Not quite, but they might be.
25 Ceremonious.
26 Positions for sleeping-partners?

Saturday's Solution.

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By Small

For the LOVE of EVE by Lucy Walling

CHAPTER XLVIII.

It was the day of the May festival in Pine Forest. Eve awakened at dawn, with the first chimes of the church bells, and looked out of the window. Already lights were burning in the basement of the little white church at the Four Corners. She aroused Dick.

"Bright May day now is dawning o'er us!" She sang the words of a song she had learned in grade school.

They went to breakfast in the church that morning in accordance with a custom brought from New England by the first settlers of Pine Forest. Breakfast was served from five o'clock until nine and although Eve and Dick were among the first to arrive they had company. The owner of the general store sat at their table and the general manager of the paper mill was next to Dick. Opposite sat the village tailor, polite and attentive.

The men discussed business conditions. Before Eve had finished the delicious pancakes served with new maple sirup a group of teachers came in.

"After breakfast we are going up into the woods for May flowers," they told her and invited Eve to join them. But she declined, although she was touched by their thoughtfulness.

This day she had set aside to spend with Dick. Soon she would be leaving and she wanted to make the most of the short time remaining. They lingered over their coffee and then left the church. In the tall white steeple the chimes were ringing again. A sense of peace seemed to surround them. Eve slipped her arm through Dick's and as they strolled past the wide lawns on Main street they watched the sun, red-gold, come up over the top of Eagle Hill. Birds were twittering in the tree tops and in Mrs. Williams' garden the pink flowering almond was blooming, flanked by yellow forsythia.

That morning Eve rode out to the camp with Dick. The hospital buildings loomed up attractively in that vast wooded area. Dick took Eve on a tour of inspection and she felt an increased respect for the powers that were bringing into being this great institution of healing. By midsummer the hospital was to be opened. Dick, however, would remain there to begin work on more buildings to be added to the unit. That meant that in all likelihood he would spend another year at Pine Forest.

Another long year without Dick! Another year of such loneliness as she had known for the last eight months. Her mother's words came back to her, "You're not being fair to your husband!"

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Eve drove the roadster slowly over the four-mile stretch back to the village. She felt the charm of the countryside and longed to relax and become a part of it. Yet she felt another urge which drew her away into the turmoil of life in Lake City.

She stopped at the little post office and found a letter from Arlene.

"Eve, dear, we are married," wrote Arlene. "Sam and I both dreaded the fuss and excitement of a wedding so we just slipped away and were married at Saint James' church last Saturday. Sam's brother and my cousin were the witnesses.

"We drove to Niagara Falls for our honeymoon. Well—why not Niagara Falls? My parents and their parents, too, went to Niagara Falls for their honeymoons. Anyhow Sam wasn't in a hurry to get back so we didn't return until Tuesday night. We're staying with my parents until we find a place of our own.

"Sam refused to let me go to the office Wednesday and I'm not going back at all! I called Mr. Barnes to tell him I was married and he was very sweet about it. I guess he thinks well of Sam.

"We're looking for a house now. We want a little white one with green blinds and a wide red chimney out in one of the suburbs. Sam says he is tired of apartments and for years he's been ambitious to have a rose garden."

* * *

Eve sat still for a long while after she read Arlene's letter. She was experiencing a conflict of emotions and her mind was torn with indecision. She was glad for Arlene—glad that her friend was so happy, and yet she envied that happiness. Because of her own overwhelming ambition, Eve realized, she was thrusting aside the joy that might belong to her and her husband.

And what confusion there must be with both Arlene and herself absent from the office. Eve felt she should go back immediately. She turned the car about and drove in the direction of the little lake where Dick had taken her that first Sunday. High up in the hills she stopped and walked through the woods, kicking up pine needles as she went. When she came to the edge where she could look down at the water below she slipped to the ground and gave herself up to enjoying the golden sunshine.

Here, with the fragrance of the pines carried by the gentle spring breeze, it was easier to think. Eve felt able to take a detached view of her problems and analyze them impersonally.

After a long while she arose and with one hand brushed back her honey-coloured hair. There was a shining light in her amber eyes and her firm little chin was held high. With determination in her step she returned to the car and drove back to the village.

She wrote three letters but did not mail them, then drove to the camp again for Dick. While she sat in the roadster waiting for him doubts once more assailed her. Did Dick really want her to go back to Lake City or would he rather have her stay here? He had told others as well as Aunt Sophronia that Eve was returning at the end of two weeks. And he had said it in a voice so certain that it left no cause for doubt. Surely if he wanted her to stay he would have implied it in some way!

* * *

But Dick looked so genuinely glad to find her waiting for him that Eve felt a responsible glow of pleasure as their eyes met.

"Love me a little?" Eve asked wistfully as they drove over the hill.

"Love you—oh, the least little bit!" he teased, smiling.

After dinner Eve asked him to read the letters she had addressed to Mr. Bixby, Mr. Barnes and to Arlene and Sam. The letter to Mr. Bixby contained her resignation and suggested that he consider Sam for the vacancy. Sam Holeridge, she wrote, was in her estimation better qualified to take charge of Bixby's advertising than any other person in Lake City. The letter to Arlene and Sam suggested immediate application for the job.

Dick was amazed as he looked up from the page he had been reading.

"But are you sure," he asked, "that I haven't influenced you to do this, Eve?"

"No, you didn't influence me. You didn't even encourage me to stay here," Eve told him frankly. "I've thought the whole thing out, Dick. I had the satisfaction of reaching the goal I had set for myself. You and I and a few others know I could have become advertising manager of the store. I don't think anyone else would have been much interested. Staying in Lake City would have meant realizing that ambition but if realizing it had to mean losing you—oh, Dick, we came so close to losing each other!"

"No, we didn't," he assured her emphatically. "I wanted you to work out your problem in your own way. I've never believed in forcing anyone into decisions. But I was willing to wait. I thought that if you cared enough for me you'd come to me in time."

"Cared for you——" echoed Eve.

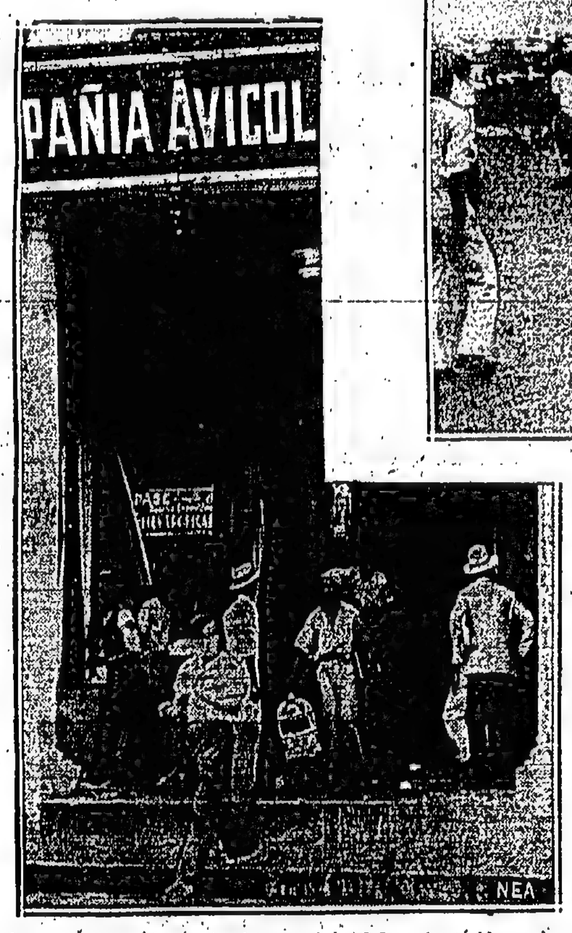
"Are you sure, darling, that you will be contented here?" he asked.

And Eve answered firmly. "Yes. Something had to be sacrificed and it couldn't be you!"

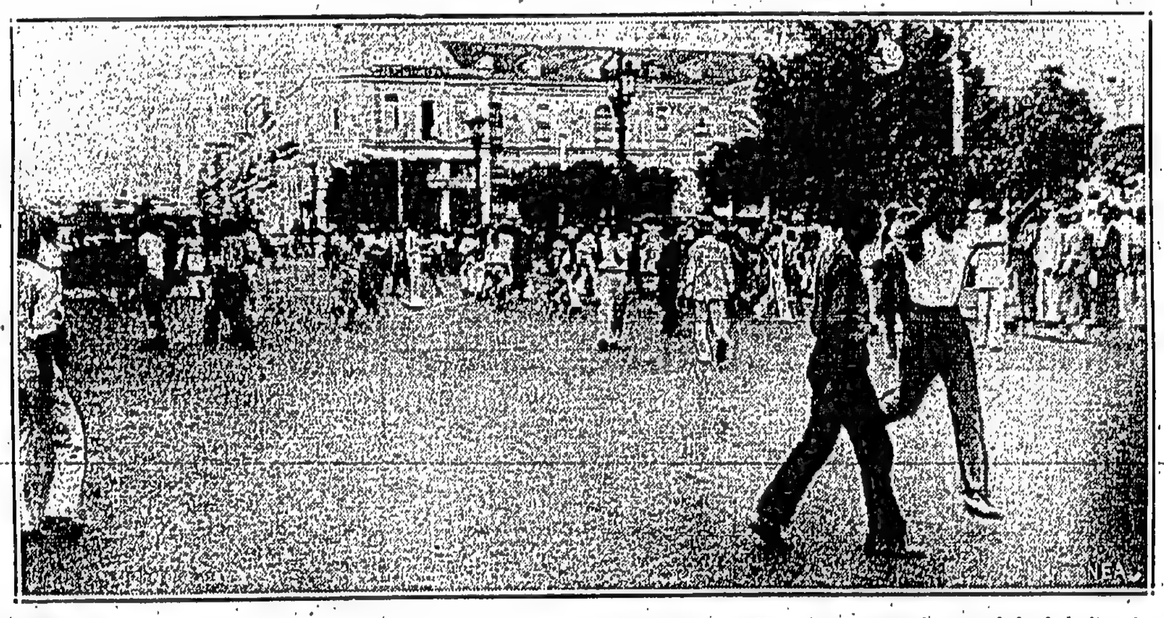
Dick took her in his arms.

(The End.)

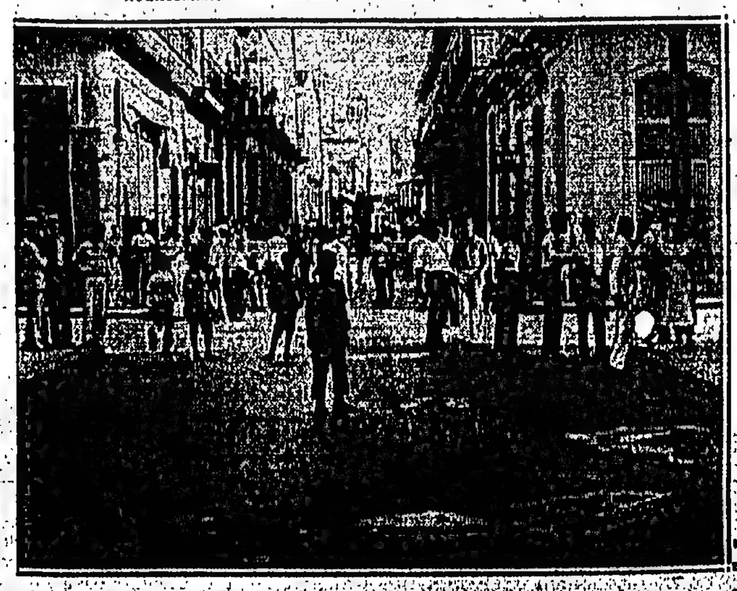
GRAPHIC PICTURES OF THE CUBAN RIOTS



Here are series of graphic pictures of the Cuban riots. Above shows how, with the police disarmed, and soldiers refusing to interfere, and orgy of looting and destruction swept the Cuban capital after the announcement of President Machado's downfall.



Almost as the camera clicked, the machine guns of presidential palace guards opened death-dealing fire upon this throng which had gathered in Havana streets to celebrate a false report that President Machado has resigned. Twenty-five were killed, more than 100 wounded. Members of the crowd ran in all directions to escape the spray of bullets.



Crimson pools in a side street of Havana give mute testimony to the sanguinary massacre that occurred near the Presidential Palace, when guards fired on demonstrators. Here natives stands in awe-stricken silence at the spot where several of their countrymen fell.

As word swept over the embattled city of Havana that the regime of President Gerardo Machado was at an end, thousands of joyful celebrants swept into the presidential palace to loot and destroy. The result of the mob's frenzy is strikingly pictured above. Windows and doors were smashed; rich furnishings pulled down and carried away; state papers and records tossed into the court in a littered mass. Here you see members of the mob searching the debris, and others carrying loot from the palace.

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The Competitors.

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Shanghai	Patroclus	October 24.
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Amoy	Tai Yuan	Wed., Oct. 18, 3 p.m.
Thursday.		
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Foochow via Swatow	Yusang	Thurs., Oct. 19, 8.30 a.m.
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Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island (Due Thursday Island, 31st October).	Changte	Fri., Oct. 20. Par., Oct. 20, 2 p.m. Reg., Oct. 20, 3.15 p.m. Letters, Oct. 20, 4 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. and *Europe via Siberia (Due Vancouver B.C., 6th November).	Emp. of Asia	Fri., Oct. 20. Parcels, Oct. 19, 5 p.m. Reg., Oct. 20, 9.15 a.m. Letters, Oct. 20, 10 a.m.
Foochow	Ninghai	Fri., Oct. 20, 1 p.m.
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Saturday.		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles. K. P. O. Parcels, Oct. 20, 4.30 p.m. Reg., Oct. 21, 9 a.m. Letters, Oct. 21, 9 a.m.	Mantua	Sat., Oct. 21. (Due Marseilles, 17th November) G. P. O. Parcels, Oct. 20, 5 p.m. Reg., Oct. 21, 9.15 a.m. Letters, Oct. 21, 10 a.m.
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Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., Oct. 21 4.30 p.m.
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Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Canton Maru	Sun., Oct. 22, 9 a.m.
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Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Oct. 24, 3 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles. K. P. O. Reg., Oct. 25, 1 p.m. Letters, Oct. 25, 1 p.m.	Patroclus	Wed., Oct. 25, 1 p.m. (Due Marseilles, November, 23.) G. P. O. Reg., Oct. 25, 1.15 p.m. Letters, Oct. 25, 2 p.m.

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JAPAN AND LEAGUE.

POLICY NOT AFFECTED BY LATEST DEVELOPMENTS

Tokyo, Oct. 15.

Germany's action will not affect Japan's fixed policy with regard to the League of Nations and the Disarmament Conference, declared Mr. Shigemitsu, the vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, in a statement to the press.

He stated that he did not think the Disarmament Conference would collapse, though the difficulties confronting it would inevitably be increased.

The vernacular newspapers have not yet mentioned the German move editorially, but give prominence to the views of officials. Viscount Araki is quoted as having declared that Germany's withdrawal was unexpected though understandable, and was a further proof of the incompetence of the League.

The comments reflect a recognition of the serious effect of the latest developments to Europe, though the effects and possible aftermath in Japan cannot be predicted yet.—*Reuter.*

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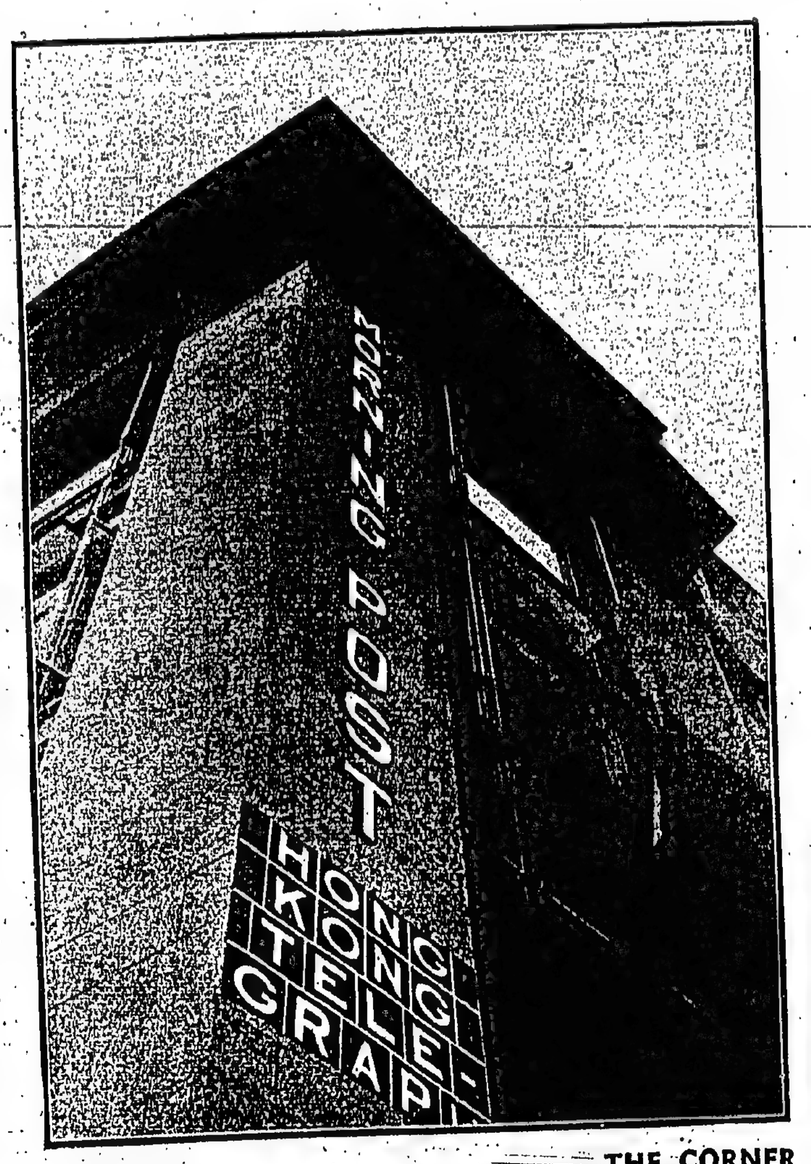

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Harbin, Oct. 14.

Trains laden with Soviet troops are being rushed to the frontier regions of Western and Eastern Siberia, according to foreign travellers from Europe, who assert that troop-trains overtook them at regular intervals of 45 minutes.

At the same time, Manchukuo is reported to be concentrating troops at Hailar.

Meanwhile, the Soviet Consul-General here has lodged a fifth protest against the detention of the Chinese Eastern Railway officials, but the demand for their release is being ignored by Manchukuo.

Commerce and trade in Harbin continues to remain at a standstill. —*Reuter.*

Japanese Concentration.

Tokyo, Oct. 14.

It is reliably reported that troops are concentrating at Mukden, Changchun and Harbin, apparently as a precautionary measure, but ostensibly as preparatory to a bandit drive.—*Reuter.*

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JAPANESE RECRUITING.

Formation of Large Mongolian Cavalry Division.

Nanking, Oct. 14.

The *Central Daily News* gives prominence to a report from Mongolian sources to the effect that the Kwantung Army has been instructed to organise a force of 30,000 Mongolian cavalry within two years.

It is stated that Japanese recruiting agents have been sent out but that there has been little response to their efforts.

The paper finally alleges that the projected force is intended for use against the Soviet.—*Reuter.*

LONDON OBSERVER.

Significant Activity In Russo-Japanese Crisis.

London, Oct. 15.

"There is no mistaking the seriousness of the Russo-Japanese phase of Far Eastern disturbance, says the *Observer* to-day. "The haggling over the price of the Chinese Eastern Railway is merely the occasion, not the whole cause of the dissension," the newspaper adds.

It does not matter that the League of Nations' competence does not extend either to Russia or Japan, for Western Europe, where theoretically it does exist, is in a bad state.

It is probably no accident, the *Observer* says significantly, that Moscow is assiduously courting the goodwill of Warsaw and Paris.—*Reuter.*

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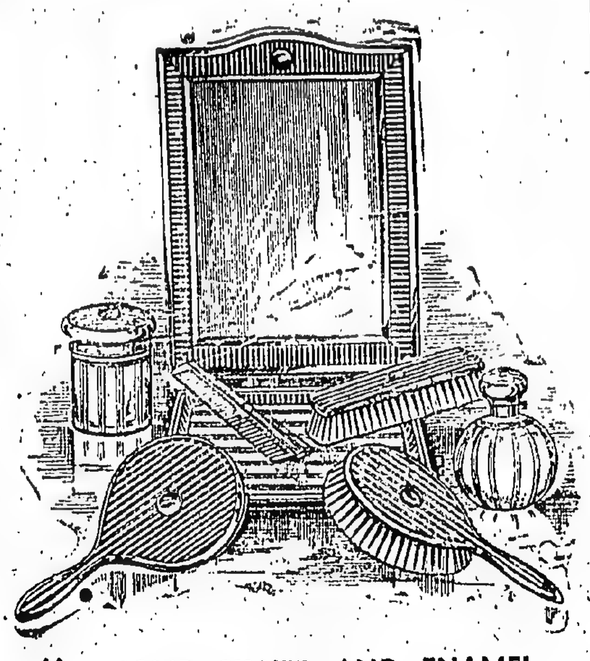

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DEATH.

COLE.—At the Matilda Hospital on October 15, 1933, after a long illness, WALTER WILLIAM COLE, dearly beloved husband of FLORRIE COLE. Funeral will pass the Monument, Happy Valley, at 5 p.m. to-day.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1933.

GERMANY'S BLUNDER

To the rest of his topsy-turvy achievements in the foreign field, Herr Hitler has added the colossal blunder of withdrawal from the League of Nations and from the Disarmament Conference. It might have been an occasion for the gravest anxiety; it still provides a situation demanding the highest qualities in world statesmen; but the worst danger has already been surmounted. The solidarity of the English-speaking peoples has been stated as plainly as it could be, forming with France and Italy a powerful combination for the preservation of peace. The United States stands firmly with its Great War allies in opposition to Germany's rearmament and Herr Hitler's bluff, if bluff it was, has been called. As a dramatic gesture, it has an effect, but bombshell has missed its main mark. Like so many other actions designed by the Nazi leader to further Germany's aims, the result has merely been to consolidate the powers of resistance, to bring them more closely together. Instead of placatory appeals, which it is fair to suspect were anticipated in Berlin, the United States, Britain and France, with Italy hardly less strong in support, find themselves in a clearer atmosphere, knowing exactly what they have to face and prepared to meet it. Herr Hitler, in announcing the decision, made a moderately toned speech contrasting astonishingly with the futility and tragedy of the action inspiring it, urging a claim to a sincere desire for peace to justify an action which is bound to cramp the resources of practical statesmanship in the quest for a solution of Europe's problems instead of assisting. Nothing could show more clearly the shortness of the Nazi vision. For if the complete severance of relations with Geneva is not an example of the childish petulance of the frustrated, then Germany's protestations are insincere and prohibition of re-armament in any form becomes the more essential in the interests of peace. As to the immediate future, there seems little that can be done. The Disarmament Conference is effectively torpedoed; an effort must be made to prevent it from going under completely, to preserve at least the shell until reason is restored. Time is likely to prove the most successful healer, provided Germany does not cut loose in other directions.

NOTES OF THE DAY

FAR EAST CRISIS

The situation in the Far East is of more immediate concern than the crisis in Europe. Trouble may be brewing in the West but there is plenty of time in which to discover ways to restore confidence. There is not a moment to spare if conflict is to be avoided over the Chinese Eastern Railway. The outlook is none-the less ominous because the intervals between the barking of the dogs over this bone of contention have become wider. It calls, rather, for a keener watch. Events have been moving rapidly towards the stage where vocal outbursts cease to have value or influence. And neither Soviet Russia nor Japan have been slow to realise it. With tension clearly on the verge of breaking-point, we look in vain for any means by which it may be eased off without causing an upheaval. On the contrary circumstantial accounts of military preparations are frequent, further electrifying the atmosphere.

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HOW SOON?

We are prepared to believe that both Soviet Russia and Japan would welcome an opportunity to draw back if it could be done without loss of prestige. That is the essence of the crisis. Eliminate the question of national honour and a compromise might be possible. But can it be eliminated? Japan (or Manchukuo: it is much the same thing) is heavily committed to drastic curtailment of the rights of control exercised in the railway by the Soviet. Any modification of this policy would be interpreted as a Soviet triumph and the Japanese General Staff are in no mood for such an interpretation. Russia's position is vastly different. Japan has been encroaching upon her preserves to an extent which must seem to Moscow to demand the calling of a halt. She calls it before it involves defence of her own territories. The alternative is to slink away and submit to every dictate of Japan's Empire-builders, to sacrifice any influence remaining to her in the East. If the situation is thus correctly analysed there remains little more to be said. For either party, it is give way or fight. Only one question remains, How soon?

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THE BUS WAR

The Colony's own little war, the community v. the bus services, is also making progress. Residents of Kowloon Tong have summoned the Kowloon Bus Company with the result that fines have been imposed. There would be more of such prosecutions if private individuals had the time to spare to make appearances in Court.

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ADEQUATE WARNING

The present is hardly the proper time to harass the bus companies. An adequate warning has been given. No immediate improvement can fairly be expected and a spate of prosecutions because an example has been set would savour of vindictiveness. If observation reveals anything, the Monopolists have enough serious problems on their hands without being subjected to what could easily become, in the circumstances, persecution. The fact is, or seems to be, that the companies at the moment could not live up to the terms of the Contract if they tried. The public must bear with them for a while. More damage, wear and tear, has been done to the vehicles in service during the four months of the new Franchise than in twelve months of ordinary handling. But the companies seem to possess neither efficient drivers nor an adequate technical staff. Experience suggests that if the inexperienced drivers employed feel that an engine is not behaving properly they run it to standstill and accentuate the trouble.

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THE REMEDIES

Only a radical reorganisation can set things right. The causes of complaint will not respond to patchwork. We doubt if it is at all possible to bring the various services up to the required standard without the importation of a fleet of new buses to be employed in conjunction with the best of the old. This is true of both sides of the harbour, although it refers particularly to Kowloon. After that, unless the service is to degenerate once again, it will be necessary to ensure that the drivers employed are capable of handling the vehicles without tearing their "innards" to pieces. These things cannot appear in a moment; the public can only expect, for some time, that the companies will do their best with their present equipment. And one contribution to happier conditions would be action to convince employees that discourtesy and slackness are not part and parcel of the elimination of competition.

NOISES I WOULD LIKE TO SEE STOPPED

A. P. HERBERT

A DREADFUL cat has been let out of the bag. A man who makes silencers for motor-cars has revealed that the young people who drive about in high-powered "sports" cars buy fewer and fewer silencers: they demand "partial" silencers and prefer no silencer at all—for the "crackle" of the exhaust makes them think they are speed kings, and they love it.

They enjoy noise.

All of us complain that there is too much noise; yet most of us must confess that there are noises we enjoy, and if all noises were miraculously eliminated the world would certainly be a dismal place. Half the fun of Niagara is its noise.

The question is: What noises are redundant? And the answer is: The other fellow's noises.

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I love the sound of church bells floating across the Sussex Downs about cocktail-time. But I cannot bear the church bells at 7 a.m. though they are a delight to many.

I love most of the characteristic sounds of the water traffic—the steady clinkety-clink of a sailing barge's windlass getting up the anchor in the early morning, the rattle of the blocks as the tops'l goes up, the far-off *tutter-tutter* of a power-boat on the canal, the metallic clatter of the locks as the boatmen drop the "paddles," the roar of water as the lock begins to fill; even the sometimes unnecessarily noisy noise of a tug's or steamer's siren booming in the heart of London.

But on land the noise of vehicles is odious to me. Motor-horns madden me; I loathe loud exhausts, the rumbling lorry, the crunching gears, the engine blowing off steam.

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I like, I think, the sound of a horse's hoofs, but not its neigh or whinny, or whatever it is. And on cobblestones cartwheels are an agony.

My neighbours dislike me if I stay up late and sing. I dislike them if they get up early and whistle joyously in the street. Other people's strumming on the piano can be tiresome, but how I enjoy my own!

The poets and others love the morning anthem of the birds: so should I if I could sleep through it.

Some are enraged by the evensong of alcoholic revellers. I much prefer that to the morning noises of the worthy milkman bringing life and health to mothers and babies.

He, too, is one of these hearty whistlers—at 5 or 6 o'clock in the morning. Nobody says anything, because he is bringing milk; and because he is up early and working he thinks he is entitled to whistle and wake me up.

Well, I sit up till one in the morning working. But if I then go out in the street and whistle joyously, I shall get, at least, nasty letters.

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Milk leads to tea. The literary men write lovingly of the kettle singing in the hob. An elderly lady has told me that the noise that maddens her most is a singing kettle. She would rather sit in the middle of a brass band. Where are we?

But poets and literary men are always praising noises—the click of bat on ball, the school, lawn-mower, the charming prattle of children (O dear!), the blacksmith's hammer (Golly!), the lowing herd (Mercy!), the "crack" of the rifle, the "cry" of the hound, the beat of the drum the wind in the trees, the bleating of lambs, the plash of fountains.

Yes, there is no doubt that we do like noise.

If one of those electric drills came to my street I should emigrate, but crowds of people stand round and enjoy them, and my boy would rather have ten minutes of an electric drill than ten minutes of Caruso.

For all I know there may be those who enjoy a good sniff, or the crackling of chocolate-paper at a matinee, or the man who goes to a first night with a cough as regular as a pumping engine, or the ship's siren in a fog.

Then, of course, the Voice of the Beloved is generally supposed to be a good thing. But put thirty women together in a room at a cocktail party—all somebody's Beloveds—and I would willingly swap them for an electric drill.

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Nearly all the material things which distinguish this age from the last are things which make or communicate more noise than there was before—the telephone, the talkies, the gramophone, the wireless, the car, the aeroplane, the steam-plough, the motor-lorry, the typewriter, the high explosive, the saxophone, extension lectures, cocktail parties, restaurant bands, and international conferences. An alarming list. No wonder the world grows madder.

And now they want to bust the Atom—good and hard!

What is the most precious of our political liberties? Free speech, which means free political speech—the dreariest form of noise there is. But some love it. Very soon we shall be talking of our inalienable right to make a noise.

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The noisy bather is one of my bug-bears. The moment he is in the water he has to shout and scream. The happy lads of Hammersmith are a sore trial to me some summer days. But when my son goes in the river he is just as bad, except that I can stop him.

A young couple glide up in a punt very much in love. They come to a quiet corner of the river. They have the whole world to themselves and the whole of life to discuss. And they go and turn on the gramophone because they would feel embarrassed without it.

The jazz bands we like best are undoubtedly those which make most noise. We used to have nice quiet cinemas; but then they brought in music and afterwards "sound."

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We used to be able to sleep during after-dinner speeches: now there are loud-speakers all over the room. We can't enjoy our food in a restaurant unless a band is playing or somebody sings.

A theatre audience must never be left in silence for an instant between scenes; the band must play from curtain-fall to curtain-rise; and if the music runs out they must play the same piece again.

Now we have to have wireless in our cars lest silence, like a pestilence, should fall upon the roads.

I know an artist who works all

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"I'm afraid she is getting serious. Her parents have started looking me over."

The Very Idea!

CONGRATULATIONS

By Eddie "Shakespeare" Kelly, Barred.

WHEN we arrived in the office on Saturday the first thing that caught our eye was the disorder in the general office on the ground floor.

Then, when we reached our desk, we found the reason. We'd forgotten all about our birthday announcement on Friday.

After about three hours we were able to sort the flood of congratulatory cables, letters and chits into some semblance of order.

We have picked out a dozen or so at random to fill in the column to-day.

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Mr. J. H. Taggart, Managing Director of the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels Ltd., enthusiastically wrote as follows: Mr. E. Kelly, Hongkong *Telegraph*:

Sir,—The announcement in Friday's issue of the *Telegraph* that you conceived the Very Idea twelve months ago reminds us that your account with our Company is overdue for a like period. We would appreciate an immediate settlement. Yours patiently.

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But wait till you read this cable we got from London.

KELLY HONGKONG.—LONDON PRESS REPORTS YOU CELEBRATE FIRST ANNIVERSARY STOP BRITISH GOVERNMENT LOOKS TO YOU TO KEEP GOING STOP PLEASE GO EASY ON DISARMAMENT STOP LOOK FOR YOUR NAME IN NEXT NEW YEAR HONOURS LIST STOP RAMSAY MACDONALD.

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Another cable speaks for itself:

EDWARD KELLY HONGKONG.—CONGRATULATIONS MAY I HAVE YOUR AUTOGRAPH.—GEORGE BERNARD SHAW.

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But we regret to say that all the cables and letters have not been congratulatory. For instance, Major Cassel wrote us as follows:

Dear Edward Kelly.—In the last issue of the Critic I inadvertedly wrote an account of your death. Please accept my apologies. I am sorry this is not correct.

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There is rage as well as terror in a cabled appeal we received from Herr Hitler, of Germany:

You will be satisfied now. Have stood your sarcasm long enough, but last article was last straw stop. Entirely your fault Germany has resigned from League. Comma. Articles gravely injuring prestige self, wife, family stop Aren't there people in Hongkong you can attack. Stop Why pick on me? Stop.

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Radio from America:

FOR PITY'S SAKE DROP REFERENCES NATIONAL RECOVERY STOP MOVIE PEOPLE THREATENING STRIKE FOLLOWING YOUR ARTICLE ON DE MILLE AND ASSES MILK STOP HAVE YOU NO BOWELS OF COMPASSION? STOP—ROOSEVELT.

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Cable from President Daladier:

Belle France unflinchingly faces border enemies and will insist on rights Geneva, but we cannot hope success if you antagonistic stop Sending one gross Croix des Guerres three gross Medailles Militaires for distribution amongst your friends. Stop. Be merciful as strong.

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And from Australia:

Australian Board Control deplores continual references bodyline fullstop Bradman threatens not play next season if you continue make fun of him stop Why not pick on Larwood stop Posting full details his history career for your information.

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There are several other letters we could print, but the Editor won't let us. He says the *Telegraph* is a respectable newspaper.

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"VENGEANCE IS MINE"

The girl ran her slender fingers up and down the lapels of his dinner-jacket.

"You must go now," she sighed, "before my husband returns."

She swung round suddenly.

"*Hell!*" she gasped. "He's coming now."

Ralph turned pale.

"He will find us. He will guess everything," he muttered distractedly.

The footstep came nearer.

"Quick! Quick! You must hide," she urged frantically.

But it was too late. The doorway framed a vengeful figure, automatic in hand.

The automatic spoke.

Thud!

A crimson stream widened into a pool beneath the still form which had been Ralph Grayson.

"God! You've killed him," Joan gasped, weakly.

Her slim figure slumped, crumpled, and slid, in a senseless heap, to the carpet.

"Peanuts or lollies!" wailed a plaintive voice, as the lights went up.

BIG CANTON DRIVE AGAINST PIRACY GANGS

BIAS BAY OPERATIONS

EXTENSIVE CAMPAIGN NEARING END

MANY PRISONERS TAKEN

The *Telegraph* learns that a big military drive has been undertaken by the military authorities of Kwangtung against the horde of pirates who have their stronghold in the region of Bias Bay.

From all accounts, the campaign appears to have been on an unprecedented scale, extending from Waj Yeung, on the northernmost limits, right down to Chungshan, touching the British border of the New Territories at a number of points.

One of the first results of the operations was the release of the captives taken in the piracy of the China Merchants s.s. Yushun, which was seized by pirates some short time ago while on a voyage from Swatow.

The number of prisoners taken by the Chinese military in the course of the operations is not yet known.

NATURAL DEVELOPMENT.

There is every reason to believe that the action has crystallised from the accumulation of information in the course of a few months regarding the movements of the pirates, and the opening of what was intended to be another season for operations against China coastal boats from the notorious region. When three different parties left the region for different points recently, and one was known to have afterwards been implicated in the piracy of the s.s. Yushun from Swatow, the position simply invited official attention, and Chinese military action has been the result.

It appears from facts only just brought to light, that the s.s. Prosper trading from Hongkong, had a narraw escape from being boarded by pirates here. Plans however miscarried, and the day after the steamer had left this port, the Hongkong Police took action, this resulting in the arrests of a large number of suspects at Shaukiwan.

In connexion with the local development, it will be recalled that an important discovery was at the same time made in the finding of a bucket with a false bottom in which were concealed two revolvers obviously intended to be smuggled on board.

CORRESPONDENCE

Bookkeeping Puzzle

(To the Editor,
Hongkong Telegraph.)

Sir,—I am puzzled about accounts kept by a former book-keeper and would be grateful if an expert in book-keeping would give me the value of his advice.

Two accounts are involved:

(a) debits "Louis" with £60. It is dated July 13, 1928, and there is no sign of a transfer.

(b) on another page entirely, debits "Louis" with £60 on March 14, 1929, and with £20 on September 2, 1929, adding at foot: Balance due, £80.

Here I am in doubt as to whether the £60 in (a) is the same as the £60 in (b) or not. I am not well acquainted with English book-keeping methods and would appreciate advice. If one of your readers could help me, would he please write to No. 83, Connaught Road Central.

A DOUBTER.

GIVEN ANOTHER CHANCE

YOUNG THIEF BOUND OVER

"I don't want to ruin your life, but you will have to be careful in future," said Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when dealing with a young lad Lo Tung-ngoi, who pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing a pair of shoes.

It was stated that defendant pawned the shoes for $1.50.

Defendant's mother, who was in court, agreed to redeem the shoes, and his Worship decided to bind the lad over in a surety of $50 for one year.

TO-DAY'S INVESTITURE

LOCAL RESIDENTS HONOURED

KING'S BIRTHDAY AWARDS

For untiring services in the interests of the Empire and the community, five residents of Hongkong were invested by His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel K.C.M.G., K.B.E., at Government House this morning in the presence of a large and distinguished assembly.

The recipients were:
Miss Hannah Florence Skinner ....M.B.E.
Lieut. Frederick Walter Young ....M.B.E. (Military Division)
Mr. Li Yik-mui and Mr. T'am Wun-t'ong....Certificates of Honour.
Mr. Alfred Morris....Insignia of an Officer (Brother) of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

The honours were those conferred by His Majesty the King on the occasion of his birthday last June.

His Excellency was attended by Capt. R.F. Walter, A.D.C. Mr. J.G. Pilcher, Private Secretary, Subadar Major Waris Khan, H.K.S.R.A., and Subadar Major Sudhan, 3/9 Jat Regiment, honorary A.D.C.s. Assistant A.D.C.s were Lieut. F.W.Webb, R.A., Lieut. B.L. Hebert, R.A., Lieut. J.C. Richardson, S.W.B., 2nd. Lieut. W.J.R. Cragg, Lincolns, Lieut. R. L. Fisher, R.N.

On the dais behind His Excellency were Brigadier R.B. Cousens, D.S.O., acting G.O.C., Rt. Rev. H. Valtorta, Vicar Apostolic of Hongkong, Rt. Rev. R.O. Hall, Bishop of Victoria, His Honour Mr. Justice J.R. Wood, Commodore F. Elliott, O.B.E., R.N., Hon Mr. C.G. Alabaster, K.C., O.B.E., Hon. Mr. M.J. Breen, Hon. Mr. A.G.W. Tickle, Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, Kt., K.C., Hon. Mr. C.G.S. Mackie, His Honour Mr. Justice Lindsell, Hon. Mr. E.D.C. Wolfe, C.M.G., Hon. Dr. A.R. Wellington, Hon. Dr. R.H. Kotewall C.M.G., Hon. Mr. J.P. Braga, Hon. Dr. Ts'o Seen-wan, O.B.E., Hon. Mr. J.J. Paterson, Hon. Mr. T.N. Chau, Hon. Mr. Paul Lauder, Sir W.W. Hornell, Kt., C.I.E., LL.D.

Amongst others present were Lady Peel, Lady Pollock, Mrs. R.O. Hall, Mrs. J.R. Wood, Mrs. F. Elliott, Mrs. P.C. Wood, Mrs. D.W. Tratman, Mrs. C.G. Alabaster, Mrs. E.D.C. Wolfe, Mrs. A.R. Wellington, Mrs. Ts'o Seen-wan, Mrs. Lauder, Miss Cousens, Miss Mackie, Mrs. W.B. Moore, Mrs. L.C. Lewis, and Mrs. W.H.J. Bilderbeck.

The recipients assembled in the Crush Hall to the north of the Ballroom door. His Excellency's entry to the Ballroom where the ceremony took place was preceded by the two Indian A.D.C.s, and Capt. Walter, Mr. Pilcher bringing up the rear.

EDUCATIONAL WORK.

The first investiture was that of Miss Skinner, who was supported by Mrs. Wolfe, M.B.E., and Miss K. Woo, M.B.E.

Following the reading of the Grant by the Private Secretary, His Excellency said:

Miss Skinner.—It is my privilege to-day to invest you with the Insignia of a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire which was conferred upon you by the King on the occasion of His Majesty's birthday last year in recognition of your educational services in this Colony.

You were appointed to the Service in May 1914 and up to the year 1921 acted as Assistant Mistress at the Peak School and Queen's College, being temporarily in charge of the former during 1915. You were in charge of Kowloon Junior School from 1921 till your appointment as Headmistress of Beillios Public School in September 1924, which appointment you still hold.

During the last ten years there has been a remarkable intellectual movement amongst the women of the East which has brought into being many new institutions for the education of girls and necessitated changes in institutions already existing. Your term as Headmistress of Beillios, the largest school for girls in Hongkong, has coincided with is period of transition, and it is under your guiding hand that the school has developed into the rational institution of to-day with its larger opportunities for the girls who have been fortunate enough to pass through your hands. The Beillios' girl of to-day can take her place alongside her brother in the educational scheme of the Colony, and she owes this to you. I understand that you propose to retire next year and this will mean a great loss to this Colony.

You have done very fine work and have thoroughly earned this Honour on the conferment of which I offer you my sincere congratulations.

SHANGHAI "WAR"

Lieut. Young was supported by Col. W. H. J. Bilderbeck, O.B.E., and Col. L. C. Lewis. The Grant read, His Excellency said: Frederick Walter Young.—It is a great pleasure to me to-day to invest you with the Insignia of a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Military Division, which was conferred upon you by the King on the occasion of His Majesty's recent birthday, in recognition of valuable services rendered by you in Shanghai last year during the Sino-Japanese trouble.

You made a brilliant start in your military career passing first out of Sandhurst in July, 1919, and being awarded The King's Medal and a sword. You were gazetted at once to The Lincolnshire Regiment. You were Assistant Adjutant of the 1st Battalion from 1920 to 1923 and were appointed Adjutant in 1931, which position you still hold. You moved with the Battalion to Shanghai in October, 1931, and were stationed there during the troubles in the early months of 1932. You rendered conspicuous good service. Your energy, tact and devotion to duty throughout the whole of that trying period materially assisted in the smooth working of all the duties of our own troops and those of foreign troops with whom your work was connected.

I am very glad that your services have received this recognition and I offer you my sincere congratulations.

PUBLIC-SPIRITED CHINESE.

Hon. Mr. D. W. Tratman, C.M.G., and Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood were supporters to Mr. Li Yik-mui and Mr. Tam Woon-t'ong.

His Excellency made eulogistic references to their work and said: Mr. Li Yik-mui and Mr. T'am Wun-t'ong. I have great pleasure in presenting to you to-day, in the name of His Majesty the King, the Certificates of Honour which were awarded to you by me in His Majesty's name on the King's birthday last June.

Certificates of Honour are given in recognition of loyal and valuable services rendered to the Colony and to the British Government. The number is limited and therefore selection for them constitutes a distinct honour.

I need hardly say that you have both fully earned this honour. You have performed great public service over a number of years in various capacities. You have both been Justices of the Peace for a considerable period. You have both held the post of Chairman of the Po Leung Kuk Committee and Tung Wah Hospital Committee.

You, Mr. Li Yik-mui, are a member of the permanent Board of Direction of the Po Leung Kuk and of the District Watch Committee. You were Chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce for two years and Vice-Chairman for a like period. You are also a member of the Court of the Hongkong University and of the Chinese Permanent Cemeteries Committee. I should like to pay a special tribute to the work which you did as a voluntary press censor in 1925. This work was of great value and was carried out by you very efficiently in spite of danger incurred thereby.

You, Mr. T'am Wun-t'ong have not only been associated closely with the Tung Wah Eastern Hospital but also with the new Po Leung Kuk building. The raising of funds for this new building and its final successful completion were largely due to your efforts, and in this connexion I should also like to pay a tribute to Mrs. T'am Wun-t'ong for her most valuable help in connexion with this home.

On behalf of the Government and the Colony, I thank you both for the very great services which you have rendered and congratulate you on the honour which you have received.

AMBULANCE WORKER.

Presenting Mr. Morris with the Insignia of an Officer (Brother) of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, His Excellency said: Alfred Morris. It is a very great pleasure to me to present to you to-day, on behalf of His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, Grand Prior, and the Chapter General of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, the Insignia of an Officer (Brother) of the Order.

You have been connected with the Brigade in this Colony for many years. You were appointed in 1916 to be Sergeant of the Ho Kom Tong Ambulance Division, Saiyingpun School, and in 1917 and 1918 were appointed successively Ambulance Officer and Divisional Superintendent of that Division. You were appointed Corp Superintendent, Hongkong and China District in 1920 and received the Long Service Medal in 1927. You were appointed Serving Brother of the Order in 1928, and made Assistant Commissioner, Hongkong District in 1930, being promoted to be Commissioner in 1933.

Various appointments and promotions have been made in the Order in this Colony, but I know of none that has been better earned than the Honour which has just been conferred upon you. The Brigade has achieved considerable success in this Colony, largely due to your keenness and energy which have made the Brigade the living force in Hongkong which it is to-day. I wish especially to express my great admiration of the work which you have done in the New Territories. People there owe a great debt to you and those under you for all that you have done for their health and safety.

I understand that even after your retirement from Government Service you intend to remain here and carry on the good work for the Brigade which you have been doing in the past. The Colony will be fortunate if you carry out this intention.

On behalf of both the Colony and the Government, I thank you very sincerely for your good service and congratulate you on the recognition which it has received.

Dr. W. B. Moore and Mr. Ho Kom-tong were supporters to Mr. Morris.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THE HISTORY OF ALL THE WORLD TELLS US THAT IMMORAL MEANS WILL EVER INTERCEPT GOOD ENDS.—*Coleridge.*

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The corpse of a Chinese infant, believed to be the one drowned when a sampan laden with oil, caught fire in Tsun Wan Bay on Thursday, was recovered from the water yesterday.

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An Indian constable charged Leung Kwok-leung before Mr. Balfour in the Central Police Court this morning with riding a bicycle in a reckless manner. Defendant rode in circles for about fifteen minutes in Wing Lok Street. A fine of $3 was imposed.

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During the absence of the G.O.C., Major General O.C. Borrett in Shanghai, Brigadier R.B. Cousens will command the Troops in China. The G.O.C. left for Shanghai on Saturday on the s/s Antenor and will return on the troopship Neuralia on November 4.

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Having just completed a month's term in prison for stowing away from Manila, Benito Ormella, 19, unemployed, appeared before Mr. Balfour in the Central Police Court this morning charged with being a vagrant. Sergeant Mottram said the Police were trying to send him back to Manila within the next few days. Defendant was committed to the House of Detention pending such arrangements.

During Friday, one case of typhoid, from the Victoria district, was reported to the local health authorities.

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A reminder is given of the H.K. University Union "Coming-of-age" celebrations to-day, culminating in a dance this evening in the Great Hall of the University, commencing at 9 p.m.

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A pair of scissors was wielded with disastrous results in a fight between two Chinese yesterday at Johnstone Road, Wanchai. Ng Pui, 15-year-old youth, received a wound in the armpit, leading to his admission to Hospital.

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"A professional smuggler," remarked R. O. Grimmitt before Mr. Balfour in the Central Court this morning, when a young Chinese admitted concealing three bottles of wine thereby evading duty. A fine of $4 or four days in default was imposed.

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The Rev. E. L. Allen will give a series of public lectures, under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian Association, commencing tonight at 8.15 o'clock, and will continue every Monday evening until November 20. The lectures will follow the causes of the present world-wide economic breakdown from the point of view of moral behaviour and will be held at the Chinese Y.W.C.A. rooms, 38 Bonham Road. The lectures are open to all those interested in the subject.

ARABS PROTEST AGAINST THE INFLUX OF JEWS

Jerusalem, Oct. 14.

Tin-helmeted British and other police, armed with batons, are patrolling the streets and apparently present dissuasion enough to prevent any serious disorder arising from the Arab mass demonstration against the recent increase in Jewish immigration which was planned for to-day.

Minor affrays occurred, resulting in arrests and a few slight casualties.

The Arabs have called a general strike, and all Arab shops are closed.—*Reuter.*

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

RELAY FROM THE KO SHING THEATRE IN THE EVENING

6-8 p.m. European programme.
6-6.35 p.m. A Concert.
Band—Play Gypsy (Kalman).
Band—Blue Forget-me-not (Banffy).
Hungarian Gypsy Band. B4082
Song—Philomel (From "Monsieur Beaucaire") (Roos and Messager).
Song—Villanelle (Bache and Dell'Acqua).
Miriam Licette (Soprano). DB633
Piano Solo—Album Leaf (Grieg).
Piano Solo—Capriccio (Brahms).
Harold Bauer. 1413
Song—A Prayer to Our Lady (Ford).
Song—Bless This House (Brahé).
John McCormack (Tenor). 1625
Violin Solo—Slavenic Dance, No. 1 (Dvorak-Kreisler).
Violin Solo—Songs my Mother Taught Me (Dvorak-Kreisler).
Fritz Kreisler. 1414

6.35-7 p.m.
Concerto Grosso—(Ernest Bloch).
Philadelphia Chamber String Simfonietta conducted by Fabien Sevitzky. M-66

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.
7.3-8 p.m. Variety.
Orchestral—Isn't It a pity
Victor Arden-Phil Ohman and Their Orchestra. 21206.
Vocal Trio—12th Street Rag.
Orchestral—Clover Blossoms.
The Old Apple Trio. 24311
Orchestral—Hats Off Here Comes a Lady.
Orchestral—Look Who's Here.
Ted Weems and His Orchestra. 24208

Piano Solo—Please.
Piano Solo—I'll Follow You.
Raie da Costa. B4363
Humorous—A Gay Caballero.
Humorous—I Learned About Women from Her.
Frank Crumit (Comedian) 21735
Organ Solo—A Kiss in the Dark.
Organ Solo—Pale Moon.
Jesse Crawford. 24282
Song—Dear Old Mother Dixie
Mildred Bailey (Comedienne).
Orchestral—Forbidden Love.
Wayne King and His Orchestra. 24137
Orchestral—Just Because You're You.
Orchestral—Just a Little Home for the Old Folks.
Don Bestor and His Orch: 24177
Piano Solo—The Fairies' Gavotte.
Piano. Solo—Serenade.
Raie da Costa. B4030
Orchestral—Bird Songs at Eventide.
Orchestral—A Brown Bird Singing.
Ray Noble and His New Mayfair Orchestral. 24211

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.
8.3-11.30 p.m. A relay from the Ko Shing Theatre.
11.30 p.m. Close Down

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co. and Anderson Music Co.

POLICE RESERVE

ORDERS FOR CURRENT WEEK

The following Police Reserve orders for the current week have been issued by the Inspector General of Police (Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe).

WINTER UNIFORM.

All members of the Hongkong Police Reserve who are not in possession of winter uniform are requested to communicate with their respective Equipment Officers as soon as possible.

CHINESE COMPANY.

Training Course—Part II. All recruits will attend at the Chinese Company Headquarters on Tuesday, October 17 at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

Inspection Parade. All ranks of the Chinese Company will parade at Central Police Station on Thursday, October 26 under Sub Inspector R. J. Hunt for a general inspection of equipment etc., by the Company Commander. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress—white uniform, Cap with white cover, belt with brace, truncheon, whistle, armlet with badge, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being present. Recruits will attend.

INDIAN COMPANY.

Training Course—Part II.—All recruits of the Indian Company residing in Kowloon will attend 8, Chi Woo Street, Kowloon on Wednesday, October 18 at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

All recruits of the Indian Company residing at Hongkong will attend Chinese Company Headquarters, 17, Queen's Road Central on Thursday, October 19 at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

Revolver Practice.—A revolver practice for the members of the Indian Company will take place on Wednesday, October 18 at 5.30 p.m. under Sub Inspector A. L. Hopkins at the Kennedy Road Range. Only those detailed will attend.

EMERGENCY UNIT RESERVE.

Riot Drill.—A riot drill will take place on Friday, October 20th. Members will fall in at No. 2 Police Station at 5.20 p.m. sharp. Dress—optional.

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BORDERERS' METAMORPHOSIS: LINCOLNS' VICTORY

EVERYTHING else in local league football on Saturday was overshadowed by the match between the Lincolns and the Borderers at Sookunpoo.

EXPECTATIONS that it would provide a rare treat of exciting exchanges were completely realised, but nobody anticipated the astonishing debacle of the Borderers, who were beaten by five goals to nil.

BELOW will be found a special report of the match.

Li Kwok-ki, the Athletic custodian, runs out to save with his rearguard colleagues giving careful protection against a rush by one of the Police forwards. An incident in yesterday's league match between Chinese Athletic and the Police. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

ONE-MAN TEAM

MORRISON SHINES IN DEFEAT

(By "Veritas").

To the heart-rending wail of "Come on the Seni-er Regeement", emanating from the lips of a wildly enthusiastic spectator, the Lincolns swept through the Borderers at Sookunpoo on Saturday afternoon, defeated them by five clear goals, created the biggest sensation of the day in local football, and made the "24th" feel that Rorke's Drift had been in vain.

This was the first Army "Derby" of the season, and because of this one could, perhaps, be excused, in anticipating that the excitement engendered by the occasion might drive away the skill and science of the game. But if such were the fears of any of the spectators they were soon shown to be unfounded.

True, the more artistic elements were practically confined to the one team, but as there was additionally an "atmosphere" about the game, the interest remained at fever pitch, especially when the Borderers missed three open goals in the last ten minutes.

That Penalty

Of course it was that penalty in the first five minutes which defeated the Borderers. When I say that it was a curious decision I am not attempting to find excuses for the losers. They were thoroughly, completely beaten by a better team. But when Higgins tumbled backwards into Mullane after he had headed away and the right back pushed the centreforward off with his hands, it appeared that he was only adopting normal measures of self-protection. Referee Baldwin ruled otherwise, and from the moment Hocquard drove the ball into the corner of the net from the resultant 12 yards spot kick, the Lincolns were on top.

It was the signal for fireworks. Three minutes later Hocquard put across a perfect centre which Mullane and Smith went to clear and Higgins to convert. The latter emerged successful. Within another two minutes the Lincolns had obtained their third, Baldry putting Higgins through after profiting from a mistake by Morrison (the only blemish of an afternoon's brilliant work), and the Borderers' fate was sealed.

The team which a week before had promised to become champion beaters, were subjugated by a combination which had previously experienced the greatest difficulty in defeating lesser fry.

Aggression and Science

And as the game wore on the Lincolns became more aggressive and more scientific in their aggression. The sheer speed of the first few minutes was augmented by well conceived movements between defence and attack. The difference between a team working as a unit and of a side of eleven separate and totally incompatible units became more and more obvious.

This, in the final analysis, was the distinction between the two elevens. And if the fact that expressed in terms of goals, it ended with the Lincolns five to the good, it was no flattery to the winners, but merely a true reflex of the game.

The one consolation the Borderers obtain from the match is the knowledge that they played far below their form. But it was a sad metamorphosis, relieved only by the magnificent display of Morrison.

Even under the severest pressure, he remained a steady, dour, and often spectacular defender. Though obviously tiring toward the end he remained in the thick of the fray, time after time repulsing the sweeping movements of the Lincoln forwards.

The Most Tragic Feature

To the Borderers the most tragic feature of the match was the utter collapse of the half back line. Podmore covered his usual wide territory but not with the usual results. Ridley, Higgins and McGuiness were too big a handful even for this hard working pivot. Wallace and Underwood both made the fundamental error of confining their attentions to the wingers instead of going in to help Podmore break up the inside trio from whom emanated the majority of the attacks.

The breakdown of this department seemed to demoralise the whole team. The forward line which the previous week had just oused vitality and cohesion degenerated into muddled and bewildered individuals, whose every kick seemed to miss its mark, whether it be a pass or a shot at goal.

By contrast one saw in the Lincolns a unified team, working together in sympathy and with rhythm. Starting from Heath, whose clean handling was a treat to watch, as also was his judgment, down to the attacking quintette, one could not only fail to detect a weakness, but found it equally difficult to select the most prominent.

Yet I feel constrained to mention the names of Cork, Ridley, Higgins and McGuiness. The first named performed brilliantly at centre-half, carrying out the duties attached to this key position in every detail. Attacks were broken up and forwards fed.

Ridley's Dazzling Display

Ridley has started the season in dazzling style, and on present form I cannot see how he can fail to walk into the representative games, not excluding the Interport. He is the real brains of the Lincoln attacks. But Ridley is not just a schemer His game is sufficiently mobile and clever to allow him to finish off movements which he has himself conceived somewhere about the halfway line.

His own goal on Saturday was a glorious exhibition of individualism. In Higgins and McGuiness he received support which is so often denied the cleverest of tacticians.

Higgins was tireless, and obviously a subscriber to a paraphrase of the old proverb "While the ball's in play, there's hope." In other words he is an opportunist, and this quality earned for him three goals,—a pretty useful afternoon's work.

The Lincolns seem to have made a discovery in McGuiness. The tall inside right revealed many touches not dissimilar to the characteristics of Ridley, and his duels with Morrison were always worth watching.

Willerton, whose following up rushes constantly troubled the Chinese Athletic defence yesterday, is seen here making determined tracks for Li Kwok-ki, who disposed of the ball, but only just in the time. (Ming Yuen).

HOW THEY STAND IN THE TABLES

DIVISION I.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Lincoln Regt.	3	3	0	0	8	1	6
St. Joseph's	2	2	0	0	6	3	4
H.K. Club	3	2	0	1	15	8	4
South China	1	1	0	0	4	1	2
H.K. Police	3	1	0	2	6	3	2
Kowloon	2	1	0	1	3	2	2
R. Navy	2	1	0	1	7	6	2
Athletic	3	1	0	2	3	8	2
S.W. Borderers	2	1	0	1	4	7	2
R.A.	2	0	0	2	3	7	0
Recrtio	3	0	0	3	3	16	0

DIVISION II.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
S.W. Borderers	3	2	0	1	11	7	4
H.K. Club	3	2	0	1	11	7	4
Athletic	3	2	0	1	8	7	4
South China	1	1	0	0	4	0	2
R. Navy	2	1	0	1	7	5	2
Young Indians	2	1	0	1	6	7	2
R. A.	2	1	0	1	5	7	2
Lincoln Regt.	3	1	0	2	8	14	2
Kowloon	3	0	0	3	2	11	0

DIVISION III.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Lincoln Rebt.	3	3	0	0	11	1	6
S.W. Borderers	3	3	0	0	19	3	6
South China	3	2	0	1	6	3	4
Recrtio	3	1	1	1	10	14	3
R.A.S.C.	1	1	0	0	2	0	2
R.A.M.C.	3	1	0	2	15	15	2
R.E.	3	0	2	1	7	8	2
Radio	2	0	1	1	2	6	1
R.A.F.	3	0	0	3	2	8	0
University	2	0	0	2	2	18	0

HARD LUCK POLICE!

DESERVE TO DRAW WITH ATHLETIC.

SMART FORWARD LINE

In obtaining their first league points of the season at the expense of the Police yesterday, the Chinese Athletic cannot feel that they covered them selves in glory.

In fact a division of spoils would have only been fair return for the losers whose display of initiative more than once pierced the Athletic's rearguard weaknesses.

The Police were robbed of the services of Brooks early on and it did much to disorganise the team. But it did not break their fighting spirit and twice in the closing stages the Athletic citadel tottered but saved itself.

The Police have a well balanced team full of hard workers. The defence revealed a tendency to become flustered under pressure. The Athletic's last two goals were partially the result of this.

STING EXTRACTED.

Brittain, Channings and Shepherd formed a good enough half back line and succeeded in taking quite a lot of the sting out of one of the cleverest forward lines operating in the league.

Gough, the former Royal Artillery inside forward promises to be an acquisition, although I think the Police will do well to bring him to the middle of the field. He was outside right yesterday and the previous week at right half. Last year he scored a lot of goals and his go-ahead methods might prove of inestimable value from a more favourable position.

Willerton is a trier and his following-up three times embarrassed the Athletic defenders, once to such an extent that the Police scored their second goal.

Green gave an impressive account of himself on the left wing, and if Brooks had not been injured, the Athletic defence might have been riddled.

PLENTY OF INCIDENT.

There was plenty of incident in this game. The first was the initial attack on the Chinese goal which saw the cross-bar struck twice in quick succession. Later McHardy brought off a remarkable save from a penalty. Brooks sustained slight concussion when his head met that of an Athletic defender as they jumped together.

Au Ping-ming opened the Athletic account and he rounded off a delightful movement for the second. Green reduced the lead, but saw it regained before the interval, when Ho Kakoung beat McHardy.

In the second half Willerton bundled Li Kwok-ki into the goal to register the Police second, but the issue was put beyond doubt when Au Kim-fung scored the winners' fourth.

On the Marina ground yesterday afternoon, in a fast friendly hockey fixture, the Incognitos defeated the Jats by five goals to nil. At the interval, the Incognitos led by 3-0. A. P. Sousa claimed three of the goals. J. M. Pinto and R. C. Reed notted one each.

UNFORTUNATE IRELAND

INJURIES CAUSE THEIR DEFEAT

SPURS TRIUMPH

(By "The Pilgrim")

An England success in the International match with Ireland; two London teams on top of the Senior League and the defeat of Clyde by the Rangers in the Glasgow Cup final, provided a full fare for football fans at Home on Saturday.

A crowd of 35,000 went to Belfast to see the Irishmen lose a gallant fight by three goals to nil.

I say a gallant fight because for a considerable time they were without Priestley of Chelsea, who twice had to be carried off. Martin, their leader, received an injury to the face and had to leave the field. An X-ray examination was carried out later.

Brook had put England ahead almost in the first minute of the game and with only nine men to stop them, England twice pierced the home defence, Grosvenor and Bowers scoring one each before Priestley returned after his first injury.

The visitors were strong in defence and were never seriously menaced. They kept their one goal lead to half time and forged ahead after the resumption.

The match was one of the few blessed by fine weather.

The superiority of Rangers over the Clyde Club in the League was reflected in their Cup Final engagement, the winners having a comparatively easy task. It is doubtful if they could have won by such a margin had the final been played last season. Rangers have maintained their 1932-3 form while the runners-up have sadly declined.

SPURS DO IT.

The most exciting fixture in the English League was the visit of the Spurs to Portsmouth. It was rather expected that Pompey would pull off a narrow victory although a toss of the coin would have been a reasonable guide to the result. The White Hart Lane club carried off the honours by a last minute solo goal by O'Callaghan magnificent conclusion to one of the keenest engagements of the season.

Playing without their star, the Irish Priestley, who had been released for the Internatonal game, Chelsea delighted Stamford Bridge supporters by twice netting in as many minutes and they were particularly unfortunate in failing to clinch the result with such a good opening. The lowly-placed Middlesbro' were after points and they settled down to a grim and careful game which brought them the requisite three goals and two points.

The recent advent of Newton has been powerfully reflected in the Reading club's last four or five fixtures. The collapse of Watford to the tune of six goals to one brought Reading's goals total to 20 for, and 11 against, which compares very satisfactorily with the adverse totals of 1 and 7—a month ago. Watford were unfortunate in conceding a last minute goal through an injury to their goalkeepr.

CREDIT TO ARSENAL.

Arsenal pulled off a creditable victory over Newcastle at Highbury where Nelson, captain of the visitors, made desperate but unsuccessful attempts to turn the tables.

Blackburn suffered a severe setback at the hands of Everton who registered a margin of six goals. West Bromwich Albion's performance in taking both points from Birmingham ranked among the finest of the day.

MIXED DOUBLES

L. Goldman and Mrs. Lochner Win

L. Goldman and Mrs. Lochner holders in 1931 and favourites for the title this year, won their first round match in the Colony mixed doubles lawn tennis championship on Thursday, when they beat H. Owen Hughes and Miss H. Hancock 6-3, 6-0, on the U.S.R.C. courts.

Both Luton and Lincoln confirmed their recent disappointing form by losing at home whilst on the other hand West Ham United journeyed to Notts Forest to bag a brace.

Rotherham wrung a point from New Brighton to add to their little pile whilst Chesterfield went merrily on to retain their leadership of the League by four points.

The invincible Motherwell's margin of five may be reduced as the Rangers' visit to Third Lanark was postponed on account of the final. Another postponed match was that between Celtic and Clyde.

FLASHES FROM THE LOCAL SPORTS FIELDS

SATURDAY SOCCER BLUES: SOLDIER PARTISANSHIP: LESSONS FOR SHANGHAI L.B.A.: GOALS!

(By "Veritas").

THERE was some unexpected sorrowing and rejoicing in the various football camps on Saturday night. Those who mourned were the Borderers seniors, the two Navy teams and the Athletic, last year's champions of the second division. The celebrations were by the Lincolns, St. Joseph's, the Young Indians and the Borderers second string.

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INCIDENTALLY quite a few 100 per cent. records went west, among them being those of the Borderers in the first division, the Athletic, Artillery, and Navy in the second, and South China in the third.

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THE Lincolns, St. Joseph's, and South China in the first division, South China in the second, Borderers, Lincolns, and R.A.S.C., in the third are now the only remaining teams with clean sheets.

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SCORING was well up to the average. A total of 71 goals resulted from the dozen games played on Saturday, 27 of which were recorded in the four second division matches, and another 20 in the five third division ties.

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LEADING individual net-finders were: Tate of the Lincolns second string (4) and three each for Higgins (Lincolns) Fowler (Club), Nelson (Borderers third string), and Botelho (Recreio).

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AN improvement in the state of the ground at Sookunpoo was noticable. At least some sort of effort had been made to shorten the grass, but a little more attention in this direction will do no harm. There were patches where the ball was brought up almost dead, and there were one or two instances of players overrunning.

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THERE was a refreshing display of partisanship at the Lincolns and Borderers clash. The more sensitive might resent the mild barracking awarded the players who kicked into touch; the old cries of "Keep it on the Island", and the counting out of the Borderers supporters by the delighted Lincolns followers. But when one appreciates the spirit in which the chaff, advice and expressions of opinion are exchanged, one realises that much of the glamour of the game is to be found in this display of partisanship.

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IT was over the telephone on Saturday morning that I was told in a voice approaching resigned despair, that Kowloon second string were turning out half their seniors against the Club reserves that afternoon. Well it wasn't quite as bad as that. Kowloon contented themselves with playing Timberlake and Lewis who, under the league ruling were eligible for the game.

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BUT the old adage that it takes more than one swallow to make a summer can be paraphrased to apply to football. Kowloon, even with the aid of two senior playing members could not overcome the superior team play of the Club, who deservedly won.

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LAWN BOWLS.

TOMMY Main arrived on the Police Green on Saturday afternoon clutching a black cat and smoking his favourite cheroot. That cat had its tail well up, and was not a bad symbol of the spirit shown by the Shanghai manager-captain.

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THE arrangements made by the Police Recreation Club were perfect in every detail. Willing helpers laboured from 7 o'clock on Saturday morning to bring about such a satisfactory state of affairs, and both players and public can afford an appreciative "Thank You."

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UP in Shanghai they had the impression that the visitors needed to win this Interport to make the scores level, but actually the position was reversed. Both Ports have now eight Interports to their credit, but as a result of the system of playing three matches, introduced in 1930, Hongkong have won 13 matches to Shanghai's eleven.

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PERHAPS it is not Hongkong's business to advise the Shanghai L.B.A., what to do, but it is not to be expected that the Northern Association will misunderstand Mr. J. Russell's references to the value of selecting a separate team manager.

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THE desirability of this procedure has been proved beyond doubt in other sports, and Hongkong know from experience how wise a course it is.

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IN fact I think the Northerners can gain a lot of valuable experience from the recent series. The selection of a team of skips might, in theory, suggest an unbeatable team. But as in all team games there are positions which

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MISS H. KNILL TO PLAY

SEVEN POSITIONS FILLED

LOCAL HOCKEY INNOVATION

(By "Veritas").

For the first time in the history of the local game, schoolgirls will this year take part in competitive hockey.

Miss H. Knill, sports mistress at the Central British School this morning revealed that the C.B.S. is entering a team for the Caer Clark Cup.

With the exception of Miss Knill and another mistress, the team will be composed of C.B.S. pupils.

"We made a start at hockey last year" said Miss Knill, "and for the most part our players are comparative beginners. But we are practising hard, and although I cannot indicate with any certainty what standard we shall attain, I am particularly anxious that the girls shall have the experience of senior hockey and for that reason we are entering a team for the Caer Clark Cup this winter."

SOME OF THE PLAYERS.

Miss Knill, whose bold move is bound to do much to raise the standard of hockey in Hongkong, has not yet completed the team, but can point to seven certainties. They are:

J. Bryson (right back)
R. Ingram (left back)
J. Holland (centre-half)
M. McCaw (right half)
Miss Marsh (right wing)
L. Hickley (right inner)
Miss H. Knill (centre-forward).

From these players Miss Knill is looking forward to supplying the nucleus of a useful team. With herself and Miss Marsh in the forward line, defences will certainly to kept busy.

INTENSIVE PRACTICE.

Practice matches are now being indulged in almost daily, and the team will take part in its first serious game to-day week, when the Central British Association will provide the opposition.

On November 4, the schoolgirls meet the Hongkong Ladies Club, and from this encounter will have a real opportunity of measuring their strength.

The team will use their own school ground for a number of matches, but as it is also occupied by the C.B.A., the bigger proportion of their games will have to be played on other grounds.

Last Friday it was stated in the *Telegraph* that Miss Knill was at present away from the Colony but would play for the Hongkong Club on her return.

We were misinformed on this point, and have been asked to add that Miss Knill, although retaining membership of the Hongkong Ladies Club, will definitely play for the Central British School in the Caer Clark Cup and other matches this season.

In this innovation Miss Knill will carry with her the sympathetic interest of all local hockey players, and the progress of her proteges will be watched closely.

YEAR REVIEWED

Annual Meeting of K.I.T.C.

A successful year, showing a profit of $314.18 in the accounts, was reported at the annual meeting of the Kowloon Indians Tennis Club held yesterday afternoon, the chair being taken by Mr. Kehr Singh.

It was stated that the membership had now increased to 70 with two honorary life-members. In the "C" Division of the Tennis League, the Club did not do very well, but they had a fair season in hockey.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Mr. Abbas Khan; Vice-President—Mr. M. A. Khan; Hon. Secretary—Mr. Feroz Ali; Hon. Treasurer—Mr. Sachan Singh; Committee—Messrs. Waryam Singh, G. M. Khan, Sapooran Singh, Firdos Khan, I. Mahan Singh; Hockey Secretary—Mr. Jahan Dad.

Tsui Wai Pui Wins At Nanking

BEATS KIANGSU PLAYER

Tsui Wai-pui, the Hongkong tennis player, scored a clever win in the Nanking sports meeting, when he defeated the Kiangsu representative by three sets to one.

Wong Shui-wing, another Hongkong competitor lost to the Jehol player by the odd set in five.

Nanking, Oct. 15.

Hongkong had a good day in the National Athletic Meet in progress here when the South China Athletic Association eleven defeated Peking by three goals to one, and the girls' volleyball team beat Hunan three to one. In the indoor baseball Hongkong's lady representatives forfeited to Shanghai.

Full Results.

200 Metres Final: 1, Liu Chang-chun (Liuning), 2, Han King-lin (Hopeh); 3, Su Shao-yu (Shanghai). Time, 22 Seconds (A record).

800 Metres Final: 1, Lo King-lung (Peking); 2, Tung Su-chiu (Shanghai); 3, Cheng Sen (Hopeh). Time, 2 min. 5 secs (A record).

400 Metres Hurdles Final: 1, Tao Ying-kit (Shanghai); 2, Wang King-ki (Peking). Time, 59.2 Seconds. (A record).

100 Metres Final for Ladies: 1, Miss Chien Hang-su (Shanghai); 2, Miss Cheung Kit-king (Kwangtung); 3, Miss Chiu Wan-san, (Kwangtung). Time 13.5 Seconds. (A record).

80 Metres Low Hurdles for Ladies, Final: 1, Miss Chien Hang-su (Shanghai); 2, Miss U Shao-lan (Shantung); 3, Miss Leung Sin-liu (Kwangtung). Time 14.5 seconds, (A record).

400 Metres Relay for Ladies: 1, Shanghai, 2 Kwangtung, 3, Shantung, 4, Peking. Time 54.6 Seconds. (A record).

Volleyball Section: (1st. Round) Peking beat Honan, 3-0. The Hongkong ladies beat the Honan ladies, 3-2, in a very exciting match.

Basketball Section: (2nd. Round) Kwangtung beat Kirin 35-33, Hopeh beat Chekiang 67-25, and Peking beat Hunan 72-23.

Fifth Day Results.

Tennis Section, Singles: Tsui Wai-pui (Kwangtung) defeated Chang Ki-tseng (Kiangsu) 3-1; Sun Ching-chun (Jehol) defeated Wong Shiu-wing (Hongkong) 3-2; Liang Chen-wen (Hopeh) defeated Chen Nai-san (Chekiang) 3-1; and Wang Wen-ching (Shanghai) defeated Ling Chi-yang (Hunan) 3-0.

Volleyball Section: Honan beat Nanking, 3-1.

Basketball Section: (Men) Hupeh beat Szechuan 40-29, the Philippine Chinese beat Kiangsu 47-23, and Nanking beat Hulungkiang 45-31. (Women) Fukien beat Kiangsi 80-48, Shanghai beat Hunan 16-3.

Soccer Section: Hopeh defeated Hupeh 3-1, and Kwangtung beat Nanking 15-1.—

I.R.C. SINGLES TITLE.

A. R. Dallah Defeats A. M. Omar in a Close Game.

A. R. Dallah won the bowls singles championship of the Indian Recreation Club yesterday morning, when he defeated A. M. Omar by 22 shots to 18 over 20 heads. Leading 8-4 at the seventh end, Dallah led at 15-9 at the head.

Omar made a good recovery and at the 18th. head led by 18-17. However on the 19th. end Omar lay three shots sufficient for victory, but Dallah came through to snatch a wood.

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call for a varying technique of play, so in bowls it is essential to get your seasoned No. 1, 2, 3 and skip.

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MAIN'S chief job here was not getting his men to indulge in practice, so much as to find which had the quicker adaptability to positions which were strange to them. It made a tremendous difference to the strength of Shanghai as a team.

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CHELSEA WANT THEM!

AFTER reading about the exploits of the South China Athletic Association footballers in Nanking I feel that the greatest gesture of international goodwill which China could now make would be to offer the South China forward line to Chelsea!

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THIRTY-EIGHT goals in two matches! That's a goal scored at intervals of 4 minutes 12 3/5 seconds. It seems too that our local team's defence is not in bad shape, for only one goal was conceded. There is the suggestion of the incongruous about this!

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BUT the real merit of the South China eleven was tested yesterday when they met and defeated Peking. All Hongkong will now be looking forward to hear of the team's final achievements.

SPEY ROYAL FINAL.

ARRANGED FOR NEXT SATURDAY.

It was announced this morning that the Spey Royal Cup final between Kowloon Dock Recreation Club and Craigengower Cricket Club has been arranged for next Saturday.

The game will be played at the Civil Service Cricket Club green, starting at 2.45 p.m. sharp, and the referee will be Mr. J. Russell, President of the Hongkong L.B.A.

NOT VERY HELPFUL

THE INTERPORT CRICKET TRIAL

BOWLERS' DAY

To all intents and purposes the Interport Cricket Trial on Saturday on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground has given the Selectors little or no assistance.

What appears to be a stumbling block in Interport trials is the undue restraint on the part of the participants. Not a few of the batsmen on Saturday were overawed by the occasion, and scoring was painfully slow, even full tosses being treated with respect. This is clear by the fact that not even two hundred runs were scored for the loss of eighteen wickets during practically four hours of play. Of this the first two hours of play only yielded 87 runs.

The pitch was on the slow side, and gave bowlers little or no assistance. Occasionally a ball rose sharply, but the over-cautious tactics of the batsmen was not at all warranted in the circumstances. The bowlers were not slow in sizing up the situation, and aided fairly good fielding kept the batsmen tied down to the crease.

BOWLERS ON TOP.

A. W. Hayward calling a successful toss of the coin elected to bat, and opened with E. C. Fincher and A. M. Rodrigues. The bowling was entrusted to G. C. Garthwaite and A. R. Minu. The former kept a good length in his first few overs, and was soon rewarded by the wickets of Rodrigues and 'Tam' Pearce both in one over. Minu, on the other hand, was sending down some really guileful deliveries, and kept turning a lot from the leg. He was unfortunate in not having Fincher caught early-on, E. R. Duckitt dropping a straight hot shot at square leg. Fincher had another life when he skied one to square-leg off Burnett, but Munn failed to get to the ball.

The first hours play only yielded thirty runs, and Fincher, Rodrigues, Pearce, Madar and Hamilton had been sent back. Hayward and McInnis then stopped the rot, and by dint of careful scoring took the score to 54, when Hayward was run out. Pereira joined McInnis and the rate of scoring was increased, and in half an hour the score was taken to 87 runs when Hayward decided to close the innings.

F. A. Munn, who opened with E. R. Duckitt, was an early victim, being out to a magnificent catch in the slips by E. C. Fincher off A. T. Lee. Captain P. Williams, in association with Duckitt, gradually advanced the score, but did not take any undue risks against Pereira, who was bowling a good length. Goodwin relieved Pereira when he had bowled eight overs, and Williams greeted the new bowler by twice despatching him past his legs to the boundary.

AGGRESSIVE WILLIAMS.

Williams continued his aggressive batting, and scored heavily off Madar, whom he drove straight for two boundaries and followed them up with a six in another over. His was the best innings of the afternoon, characterised by powerful hitting all round the wicket.

After he had retired, the remaining batsmen did not offer much opposition to the bowling of Goodwin and Lt. Hamilton, and the innings terminated shortly after for 100 runs.

By their performances both Minu and Williams are almost certainties for the Interport.

The selection for the first Interport with Malaya will probably be made from the following players:—

A. W. Hayward (Captain), H. Owen-Hughes, E. C. Fincher, E. F. Fincher, G. C. Burnett, Lt. A. C. Hamilton, Captain P. Williams, Lt. G. C. Garthwaite, A. R. Minu, A. H. Madar, F. D. Pereira and G. S. Dunkley (wicket-keeper). T. A. Pearce, who did not take part in this trial, is also almost certain of inclusion.

THAT TERRIBLE 17TH!

INTERPORT LAWN BOWLS WON AND LOST ON SINGLE HEAD

HONGKONG REAP THE BENEFIT OF SUPERIOR TEAM PLAY

(By "Veritas").

In the Shanghai lawn bowls clubhouses in years to come you might hear whispered a tragic story entitled "The Shocking Seventeenth." It might not be the same in every detail as the story you would hear to-day, but it will be encased in the glamour of tradition, and will be to the Shanghai lawn bowlers what Bannockburn is to the Sassenachs and the Treaty of Versailles to the Germans—anathema.

For it was on the 17th head that the lawn bowls Interport of 1933 was won and lost. At the close of the 16th Shanghai were leading 18-14. Five minutes later they were losing 19-18, and the fact that Hongkong added five more shots before the end is of practically no consequence.

Everybody, I think, is prepared to sympathise with Shanghai. Up to that fatal head they had not only established a good looking lead, but were deserving of it.

Those who had judged the capabilities of the visitors purely on the previous results of the tour found there were shortcomings in their estimate.

In one of the best exhibitions of lawn bowls seen in Hongkong for a long time, Shanghai regained their prestige to the full.

BOLD TACTICS.

A striking feature of the match was the almost complete absence of "safety-first" tactics. Certainly attention was paid to safeguarding positions won by the No. 1 and 2 players, but on both sides bold tactics were favoured, which as a result gave the spectators a rare treat.

It was not until the 17th and subsequent heads that Hongkong demonstrated how well they could bowl. True there had been glimpses of it earlier on, but generally speaking the honours up to that time had fallen to Shanghai.

In the first place the visitors, thanks to Bailey and Main (especially Main) had staged a thrilling recovery at a point when everything indicated that Hongkong were going away into a long lead. On the ninth the locals had a lead of five shots. On the 14th Shanghai had wiped off this deficit and themselves led 16-13; another two on the 16th and victory was in sight.

It was between the ninth and the sixteenth that Shanghai as a team pulled themselves together. Up to then Main and Bailey had been playing lone hands. But gradually Richards and Malcolm, inspired by the example found their touch and Hongkong were forced to cry beat to a worthy rink.

THE SEVENTEENTH.

Then came the deciding change over the game. It was Hall (consistently brilliant in his straight draw to the jack) who laid the first shot. J. C. Brown increased this to three. It was a closed head and quite impossible for Main to make a straight draw. The Shanghai skip tried to open it up with a drive and just missed. U. M. Omar, with that sureness of touch, came along with two perfect drawing woods and Hongkong registered the one and only five of the game.

In this match where wits and tactics played almost as important and effective a part as skill, Omar and Main emerged with flying colours. Main had to bear greater responsibilities than Omar because for several heads he did not receive adequate support from Richards and Malcolm. It was often left to him single-handed to retrieve an unfortunate position.

Omar was inspired on more than one head and he earned rounds of applause on the early and concluding heads for some brilliant woods.

For sustained accuracy Hall and Bailey, respective first strings easily shared the honours. They took it in turns to take each other out and lay shot and it was their initial deliveries which laid the foundation for the high standard of bowls enjoyed.

AN IDEAL GAME.

B. W. Bradbury played an ideal game at No. 2, rarely failing to give what Omar asked for. Certainly for three parts of the game he was more than a match for Malcolm. "Sandy" made a gallant but inauspicious exit from Interport bowls.

To Shanghai the most disappointing feature must have been the loss of form displayed by Charlie Richards. It was his constantly being outbowled by J. C. Brown which thrust such a burden on Main. Only on the middle heads did the veteran Interporter recapture something of his old time skill.

A closer analysis reveals that once again Hongkong were better as a team and that no matter how fine the individual effort may be, it can rarely hope to beat concerted action.

Shanghai do not take back with them an impressive record, but they have the satisfaction in knowing that in all three Interports they maintained their prestige.

One is tempted to suggest that they did not have all the luck in these three games. Even so Hongkong were worthy victors.

H.E. the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., was amongst the spectators, arriving on the grounds when the fifth head had just been completed. His Excellency was introduced to the players after the game by Mr. J. Russell, the President of the Hongkong Lawn Bowls Association. Scores:

Hongkong		Shanghai	
R. Hall		W. A. Bailey	
B. W. Bradbury		A. A. Malcolm	
J. C. Brown		C. Richards	
U. M. Omar		T. G. Main	
Head	Shots	Total	Shots	Total
1	1	1	–	–
2	3	4	–	–
3	–	4	2	4
4	–	4	2	4
5	–	4	1	5
6	4	8	–	5
7	2	10	–	5
8	–	10	3	8
9	3	13	–	8
10	–	13	1	12
11	–	13	3	12
12	–	13	1	13
13	–	13	1	14
14	–	13	2	16
15	1	14	–	16
16	–	14	2	18
17	5	19	–	18
18	1	20	–	18
19	2	22	–	18
20	–	22	1	19
21	2	24	–	19

LOCAL HOCKEY GAMES.

H.K. Ladies Hold Practice at Sookunpoo.

B. HANCE BRILLIANT.

Brilliant play by the half-backs of both sides featured the Hongkong Ladies' Hockey Club trial match on the military ground, Sookunpoo, on Saturday.

The outstanding player was Miss B. Hance, who gave a fine exhibition at left half for the Whites.

Miss J. Churchill, (2) Miss E. Bonnar (2) and Miss J. Dalziel were the best forward trio on view. They combined very effectively to score five goals against the Colours.

The following were the teams:

Whites:—B. White; M. King, and B. Franklin; D. Robertson, H. Lowe and B. Hance; E. Bell, J. Dalziel, E. Bonnar, J. Churchill and R. King.

Colours:—M. Bird; Mrs. Westlake and P. Thorpe; J. Whyte, B. Pope and A. Owen Hughes; M. Bishop, M. Rattoy, S. Adams, B. Laing and E. Selby.

Radio Team.

The following will represent the Radio Sports Club in a friendly hockey match against St. Andrew's Club at Caroline Hill at 5 p.m. to-day.—Man Singh; P. Singh, Mohinder Singh; Jaggeet Singh, M. H. Hassan, J. S. Grewal; Prem Singh, G. Singh, Awtar Singh, Kalwant Singh, F. A. Kemp. (Captain). Reserve: Attar Singh.

The same team will meet the Lincolnshire Regiment at the Shamshuipo Camp ground to-morrow, at 4.45 p.m.

THE CLUB'S TEAM.

To Meet Jat Regiment in A Friendly Game.

The Hongkong Hockey Club first eleven are due to meet the 3/9 Jat Regiment on the Marina at 5.15 p.m. on Wednesday next. The civilians are fielding practically the same team as was beaten by the H. K. S. R. A. two weeks ago. F. E. W. Lammert is brought into the team on the left wing while E. V. Reed is returning to the half-back line.

Major H. M. J. MacIntyre, who played left wing in the previous match, is being introduced in the inside-right in the absence of C. C. Francis. J. A. Potter, the Club's regular left half-back will partner Lammert on the left flank.

The team will be as follows:—S. Shields; A.A. Dand (Capt.), J. Rodger; W.A. Reed, H.J.D. Lowe, E. V. Reed; J. L. Tetley, H. M. J. MacIntyre, G. E. R. Divett, J. E. Potter, F. E. W. Lammert.

SPORT ADVERTISEMENT.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The TRAFALGAR DAY RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 21st October, 1933, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be Rung at 1.30 p.m.

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The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

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By Order,
C. B. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, 16th October, 1933.

GARRISON LEAGUE.

Commanding Officers Play In Last Match.

BORDERERS' SUCCESSES.

The last match of the Garrison Tennis League was played at Sookunpoo yesterday, when Headquarter Wing, Borderers, beat Headquarter Wing, Lincolns, by 5-2 points.

A rather unusual feature was the appearance in the teams of the two Commanding Officers and to add to the interest, the match in which they opposed each other was the decisive one of the day.

The Borderers found themselves more at home on the grass courts than their opponents but there were some stiff games before the honour of being runners-up in the League was decided.

The League winners are "D" Company, Borderers.

When Lt.-Col. Raikes and partner of the Borderers opposed Lt.-Col. Boys and partner, the latter's team were already a point behind and if the Lincolns were to win, that set and the following set against Major Lochner and partner had to be won.

Tactical Error.

The Lincolns pair lost the first set at 6-3 and as the result of the match was then decided, the other set was not played.

Col. Raikes and C/Sergt. Jarman played a fast but steady game and their straight drives carried the day. Col. Boys had planned to lob and kill the return but as often as not the lobs were the wrong side of the line, and this together with a few errors proved costly.

The full results were:

Col. Raikes and C/Sergt. Jarman (H. Q. Borderers), beat Col. Boys and Pte. Turner, 6-3; beat Lt. Powell and B. M. Trout, 6-4; beat L/Cpl. Ellison and Dmr. Chapman, 6-2.

Major Lochner and L/Cpl. Davies (H. Q. Borderers), lost to Lt. Powell and B. M. Trout, 4-6; beat L/Cpl. Ellison and Dmr. Chapman, 6-2.

Sgt. Harndon and Drm. Jones (H. Q. Borders) lost to Col. Boys and Pte. Turner, 5-7; lost to Lt. Powell and B. M. Trout, 4-6; beat L/Cpl. Ellison and Drm. Chapman 6-1.

HOME RUGBY.

Harlequins Easily Defeat United Services.

OLD BLUES TROUNCED.

London, Oct. 14.

East Midlands had a smashing victory over Warwickshire in the County Championship at Northampton to-day, winning by 29 points to nil. North Midlands were also successful against Leicestershire at Birmingham and won by 14 points to 10.

In the Club fixtures, the Harlequins overwhelmed the United Services by 14 points to nil, while in a close tussle between Bristol and Bath, the latter just managed to win by an unconverted try.

Old Blues proved no match for the Guy's Hospital XV, scoring only eight points to their opponents' 36.

Full results follow:

County Championship.

East Midlands 29 Warwickshire 0
(At Northampton)
North Midlands 14 Leicestershire 10
(At Birmingham)

Club Fixtures.

Birkenhead	12	Halifax	10
Bristol	0	Bath	3
Cambridge U.	14	Old Leysians	5
Coventry	6	Old Alleynians	8
Gloucester	0	Cardiff	6
Guy's Hos.	36	Old Blues	8
Harlequins	14	United Services	0
Leicester	22	Bridgewater	5
London Welsh	11	Roselyn	3
Newport	10	Blackheath	3
Oxford U.	15	London Scot.	11
Richmond	10	Northampton	0

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ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB.

"TREVESSA" TROPHY.

The 20th bi-annual race for ships' Life Boats will be sailed on Tuesday, the 17th October next, starting at 4 p.m.

Any ship of a Company having offices or responsible agents in Hongkong and which is in Port on the day of the race, may enter any number of boats.

All entries should, if possible, be in the hands of the Hon. Sec. R.H.K.Y.C. by noon on the day of race, and competing boats should be at the starting line by 3.30 p.m. Post entries, however, will be received.

Course:—Start from Channel Rocks, thence to Kowloon Rocks (P) Mark off Yacht Club (S), Mark off Cust Rock Beacon (P), finish across Yacht Club Line, leaving mark boat to Port, and continue sailing until Gunfire for finish.

A launch will leave Queen's Statue Pier at 3 p.m. for the convenience of members and the General Public.

R. J. VERNALL,
Hon. Secretary.

GOLF COMPETITION.

Valley Defeat Kowloon In Bi-Annual Match.

A CLOSE CONTEST.

The Happy Valley golfers defeated the Kowloon Golf Club by 16½ points to 12½ in the bi-annual match played on the Valley course yesterday. At the end of the singles morning round, the Valley led by three points and increased their lead by one point in the foursomes.

Scores are as follow:

Singles.

K.C.C.			Valley G. C.	
D. C. Wilson	1	v.	C. W. F. Booker	–
J. MacKnight	–	v.	W. A. Stewart	–
J. D. Thomson	–	v.	K. S. Robertson	1½
H. H. Mundy	1	v.	J. A. R. Selby	–
A. T. Braley	–	v.	A. McKellar	1
A. L. Eastman	–	v.	L. Goldman	1
W. C. Chalmers	–	v.	F. E. Booker	1
W. M. Groves	–	v.	J. S. Dykes	1
G. Milne	1½	v.	A. E. Clarke	–
W. S. Hillier	1	v.	A. E. Charman	–
J. Pooler	–	v.	C. Mycock	1
H. T. Buxton	–	v.	F. Lobel	–
L. D. Purves	–	v.	E. M. Hanlon	1
A. J. Dennis	1½	v.	A. Macfarlane	–
T. Seddon	–	v.	S. S. Cook	1½
V. C. Labrum	–	v.	A. W. Muir	1

Total points: Valley 8½; Kowloon G.C. 5½.

Foursomes.

D. C. Wilson and J. MacKnight 2 v. C. W. F. Booker and W. A. Stewart 0.

J. D. Thomson and H. H. Mundy ½ v. K. S. Robertson and J. A. R. Selby 2.

A. T. Braley and A. L. Eastman 0 v. A. McKellar and L. Goldman 2.

W. C. Chalmers and W. M. Groves v. F. E. E. Booker and J. S. Dykes, all square.

G. Milne and W. S. Hillier 2 v. A. E. Clarke and A. E. Charman 0.

J. Pooler and H. T. Buxton 0 v. C. Mycock and F. Lobel 2.

L. D. Purves and A. J. Dennis 2½ v. E. M. Hanlon and A. Macfarlane 0.

T. Seddon and V. C. Labrum 0 v. S. S. Cook and A. W. Muir 2.

Total points: Valley G.C. 8; Kowloon G.C. 7.

YACHT CLUB EVENTS.

Results Of Races Sailed On Saturday.

WIN FOR CARPENTER.

A. H. Chambers in Carpenter secured a fine win in the senior event arranged by the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club on Saturday, the "H" and Remaining Classes race being won by Capt. H. Marshall, sailing Robena.

The course was from Lyemun Beacon (P) to Mark on Line (P) and Channel Rocks (P), a distance of 7.8 miles. The following were the results:

"A" Class—Started at 14.30.

	Time Pla'ed	Cor'ed.	Pos'n	Sailed by
Carpenter	4.53.40		1	A. H. Chambers
Oslo				
Wasp II				
Artemis	4.56[illegible]		2	Mr. Lochner
La Linda				
Jan				
Isobel	4.55.51		3	Cdr. Cowland
Joss				
Gull				
Cicada				
True Blue	5.03.16		4	H. S. Ronse
Pat				
Fury				

"H" Class & Remaining Classes.

	Start at	14.45		
Diana	4.49.10	4.47.56	7	Lt. P. Ramsa
Colleen	4.51.48	4.48.36	3	Cdr. Drummond
Rolla	4.49.44	4.50.44	9	R. Stock
Falcon				
Siakin				
Argulia II				
Dorothea	4.52.06	4.48.52	6	
F.S. Coote				

"I" Class.

Daphne	4.54.33	4.40.55	2	Capt. Ingle
Alisa	4.58.02	4.43.44	4	S. Douglas
April V				

"Y" Class.

Stella				
Wings				
Bluejacket				
Robena	4.34.50	4.39.53	1	Capt. H. Marshall
Speedwell				
Adanac				

"G" Class.

Gael				
Toynett				
Eunice				
Jean	D. N. F.			
Sirius	5.07.01	4.48.34	5	H. M. Finlay
Zephyr	5.02.13	4.43.21	3	Major Grellier
Lola				

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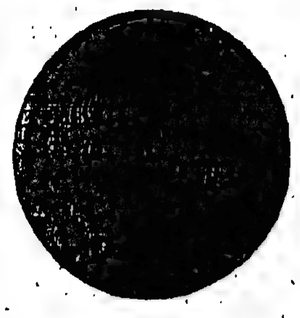

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TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

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H.K. Banks, $1820 sn.
H'kong Banks, London, £132 n.
Chartered Bank, £15½ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B £26¼ n.
Mercantile Bank C., £12½ n.
East Asia, $104 n.
Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh. $20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh.$4.75 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. $5 n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., $325 b.
Union Ins., $570 b.
China Underwriters, $2.10 n.
China Fire, $595 n.
H.K. Fire, Ins., $290 n.
International Assce. Sh. $6.50 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, $34 b.
H.K. Steamboats, $18 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), $30 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), $35 n.
Shells (Bearer), 55/7½ n.
Union Waterboats, $15 n.

Mining

Antamoks, $1 n.
Balatocs, $37 n.
Baguio Gold, 75 cts. sn.
Benguets, $47½ n.
Benguet Exploration, 50 cts n.
Benguet Goldfield, 50 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 40 cts. b.
Gold Creek, $9 n.
Ipo Mining, $6¼ n.
Ingons, $7½ n.
Kelian, 31/3 n.
Langkats (Single)..$18¼ n.
S'hai Explorations, Sh. $4.15 n.
S'hai Loans, $6.85 n.
Raubs, $12½ b.
Venz: Goldfields, $5½ n.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, $126 n.
H.K. Docks, $16½ n.
S. China Motors A., $6 n.
S. China Motors B., $8 n.
Providents (old), $3.70 s.
Providents (new), $1.85 n.
Hongkews, Sh. $348 n.
New Engineerings, Sh. $8 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. $147½ n.

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, $14.30 b.
S'hai Cottons, Sh. $108 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. $13 n.
Wing On Textiles Sh. $80 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, $6¾ b.
H.K. Lands, $78 b.
S'hai, Lands Sh. $33 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. $14. n
Humphreys, $12.80 b.
H.K. Realties, $7.50 b.
Asia Realties "A" Sh. $140 n.
Asia Realties "B" Sh. $20 n.
Chinese Estates, $92 n.

NOISES I WOULD LIKE TO SEE STOPPED

(Continued from Page 8.)

day in his studio, with the wireless working all the time. He doesn't care what it is—Beethoven or bee-keeping—so long as it is a noise, a companionable noise.

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Yes, I am afraid we enjoy noise. It is very difficult. I am infuriated at night by the slamming of car-doors, and I really do shut all taxi-doors quietly. But everybody who comes to the house just has a good slam (however late it is), and unless I go out with them when they leave and warn them they slam the door of their car or taxi again.

Seriously, I consider that the law ought to step in and stop some noises. Which? The motor-horn, I should say as personal preference—and the milk cart—and the speed-boat—and gramophones in punts—and early morning bells—and——. But this is too dangerous.

You go and make your own list.

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China Debenture, Sh.$137 n.

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Peak Trams, (new), $7¾ n.
Star Ferries, $99½ b.
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China Lights (old), $11.75 n.
China Lights (new), $11.50 n.
H.K. Electrics, $16½ b.
Macao Electrics, $23 n.
Sandakan Lights, $10½ n.
Telephones (old), $35¼ n.
China Buses, Sh. $11¼ n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/7 n.
Singapore Pref., 15/- n.

Industrials.

Malabon Sugars $15 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. $21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), $19¼ n.
Canton Ices, $6 n.
Cements (Com.), $3.80 n.
Cements (old) $3½ n.
Cement (New), 50 cts. n.
H.K. Ropes, $7¾ n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, $29¾ s.
Wastsons, $8½ n.
Der A Wings, $1 n.
Lane Crawfords, $3.90 n.
Mackintoshs, $21 n.
Sinceres, $13½ n.
Wm. Powells, $2.10 n.
Wing On (H.K.), $170 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, $10 n.
H.K. Entertainments, $10½ n.
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SCHOOL'S BAZAAR

ST. PAUL'S GIRLS COLLEGE HOLDS FUNCTION

A bazaar in aid of the Ministering Children's League was held by the St. Paul's Girls College branch, in the great hall of the College, at Macdonnell Road on Saturday afternoon. The function included a number of features, such as the one and two dollar stalls, where a large variety of useful and seasonable goods were available for visitors at a cost which combined the pleasure of buying with that of charity-giving.

The opening ceremony was performed by Mrs. R. O. Hall, wife of the Bishop, who was warmly welcomed on her first visit to the College.

The proceedings were opened by the Chairman, Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall.

Welcome to Mrs. Hall.

The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall said.—My Lord Bishop, Mrs. Hall, Dr. Woo, ladies and gentlemen, the pleasing duty I am now performing rightly belongs to his Lordship the Bishop, but Dr. Woo thought that the Bishop may be too shy to stand before you and welcome his own wife and to say some good words about her, although I don't see why he should not. At the same time Dr. Woo was giving me this great pleasure to say these few words which Mrs. Hall so very much deserves.

I should like in the name of the St. Paul's Girls College, to extend to Mrs. Hall a hearty welcome on this her first visit to the College. I should like also to thank her very warmly for the kind interest she has taken in us by coming here to perform the ceremony of opening this bazaar. I feel that from the College Council, not even excluding his Lordship, right down to the youngest pupil of the College, we could count on Mrs. Hall for her sympathetic support in all our endeavours having for their object the welfare of the College (Applause). Probably all of you know the objects of our annual bazaar. The proceeds of this year's bazaar will go to the Ministering Children's League and other charities; but part of that will also go towards replenishment of the funds of the College. Recently we have strengthened our staff in order to raise the standard of the school, and this necessitates additional expenditure.

Facing a Deficit.

Unfortunately our funds are rather low, and we are facing a deficit of $5,000 if not $6,000 next year. The Council has thought that in these hard times instead of writing to our friends for donations and subscriptions, the best means of raising the necessary funds will be to get what can be got out of this bazaar. Knowing your generosity in the past, I am sure you you will spend all your can. In so doing you will not be giving away your money. From what I can see around me, I am sure you will get all your money's worth.

I should like to take this opportunity to welcome home the Principal of the College, Dr. Woo and what is more, to congratulate her on the signal honour which the University of Southern California has recently conferred upon her. (Applause).

I will now ask Mrs. Hall to be good enough to declare this bazaar open. (Applause).

Mrs. Hall formally declared the bazaar open; and was presented by two of the youngest pupils, with a beautiful basket of flowers.

FRANCOIS COTY.

DISMISSED AS DIRECTOR

Paris, Oct. 7.

The action taken by the management of the newspaper *Le Figaro*, in dismissing the newspaper's principal stockholder and head of the well known perfumery concern, M. Francois Coty, from his post of director, is causing a sensation in newspaper circles here.

It appears that the action was taken at the insistence of Figaro's editor-in-chief, Count St. Aulaire.

In a counterblast published in Friday's issue of the newspaper *L'Ami du Peuple*, which is also owned by M. Coty, Count St. Aulaire is charged with having played a questionable rôle in the Oustric scandal.

Ordre claims that Figaro's financial status is far from being satisfactory.

The P. and O. s.s. Comorin left Singapore for this port on the 14th instant at 4 p.m. with the outward English Mails, and is due here on the 18th instant at about 8 p.m.

FRENCH CABINET ENDANGERED

GENEVA CONFERENCE TO ADJOURN

THE FIRST SHOCK OF GERMANY'S ABANDONMENT OF THE LEAGUE AND DISARMAMENT BEING OVER, MINDS ARE NOW CONCENTRATED UPON THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE ACTION AND MEANS OF PREVENTING THE FURTHER DESTRUCTION OF CONFIDENCE.

An adjournment of the Disarmament Conference to-day is practically assured, probably meaning an end to practical efforts towards disarmament for some considerable time to come.

The small Powers, however, seem to be in favour of the conclusion of a Convention without Germany based upon the proposals made in Sir John Simon's speech yesterday. The great Powers see no value in pursuing the matter at the present critical juncture.

IMPORTANT TALKS IN GENEVA

London, Oct. 16.

Europe is still in a flutter over Germany's withdrawal from the League and from the Disarmament Conference. Little else was talked about to-day and there was considerable activity in diplomatic circles in nearly every capital.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald returned to London this evening and had a long conversation with Mr. Stanley Baldwin. Later he telephoned to Sir John Simon at Geneva.

There have, however, been no further developments from the British angle.

DALADIER ENDANGERED.

In Paris, the conviction is growing that Germany's action has precipitated the possibility of the fall of the Daladier Government—an event which would render even more remote the likelihood of concessions to Germany.

M. Daladier's enemies are already very strong and they are attacking him vigorously by alleging the failure of the Government's conciliatory foreign policy, and draw attention to the fact that a further arms cut was agreed upon in the teeth of strong home opposition.

GERMANY CALM.

The people of Germany are facing the situation very calmly and there was no demonstration of any kind yesterday.

The idea that Germany is being treated unfairly as a second-class nation has so long been inculcated in the average German by press and radio propaganda and he is convinced that "strong man" Hitler will reconstitute Germany as a powerful nation. Hence the calm attitude.

The Chancellor has already been inundated with thousands of telegrams promising support to the death.

The subject of re-armament is not being mentioned anywhere.

HITLER WAITING.

It seems likely that the German Government has no intention whatever of violating existing treaties, but is awaiting the effect of its measures on the world generally and on France in particular before deciding upon its further course of action.

As the outcome of a meeting at Geneva of the great Powers, Mr. Arthur Henderson will to-day recommend the adjournment of the General Commission of the Disarmament Conference.

WEEK'S ADJOURNMENT.

It is likely that the adjournment will be for a brief period only, not longer than a week, and will be ostensibly for the purpose of enabling the Governments to review the situation created by Gemany's retirement.

It is pointed out, however, that as most of the principal delegates will by then have already left Geneva, most of them having decided to return after to-day's meeting, it is doubtful whether the proceedings will be seriously resumed then.

A COMPROMISE.

Yesterday's meeting's decision to recommend an adjournment is in the nature of a compromise, as it is realised that a recommendation to adjourn sine die might provoke strong opposition.

Italy openly advocates an adjournment, and the Americans are also inclined to favour it, but Dr. Benes, representing the small Powers, strongly opposed.

To-day's meeting also drafted a letter in reply to the charges of Baron von Neurath, which is being submitted to to-morrow's meeting of the Commission. It is understood that the communication firmly rejects the von Neurath charges.—*Reuter.*

AMERICAN FEARS.

Washington, Oct. 15.

Government officials to-day expressed their agreement with the decision to recommend the recess of the General Commission of the Disarmament Conference, but stand firmly against final adjournment.

The State Department declared that Mr. Norman Davis had authority to support such a recommendation without consulting Washington.

Official circles are of the opinion that Germany cannot be brought back into the Arms Conference, at least not for a long time, and it is felt that the Conference should be saved from a break down, which might mean the start of a great international armaments race.—*Reuter.*

OPENING BREACH.

Berlin, Oct. 14.

The German Reichstag has been dissolved by a special order from President von Hindenburg. The new elections which are fixed for November 11, will give German electors an opportunity of expressing their views on the internal and external policy of the nation.

Chancellor Adolf Hitler, in his manifesto to the German people, declared that Germany is most disappointed that despite all readiness to carry out her Disarmament, if necessary to the utmost, other Governments could not decide to fulfil the pledges signed by them in the Peace Treaty.

The German people and the Government are most humiliated by the deliberate refusal of real moral and actual equality for Germany after the Government of the Reich had declared itself, as a result of the equality promised on November 11, 1932, again ready to participate in the negotiation of the Disarmament Conference.

EQUALITY ISSUE.

"Official representatives of other States, in public speeches and in direct statements to foreign Ministers and to German delegates have announced that at present Germany can no longer be granted this equality," said Hitler.

"As the German Government see in this action an unjustifiable and humiliating discrimination against the German people, it is not in a position to further participate in the negotiations as a second-class nation without rights.

"While the German Government re-announces its firm desire for peace, it declares with greatest regret that it must leave the Disarmament Conference in view of these humiliating and dishonouring demands, the manifesto continues.

RESIGNATION FROM LEAGUE.

"It will also announce its resignation from the League of Nations.

"The Government submits its decision, with a renewed affirmation of its policy of sincere desire for peace and understanding, to the judgment of the German people, and expects from this a manifestation of a similar desire of peace and understanding and also a manifestation of a similar conception of honour and determination.

"I am convinced that the whole nation, like one man, will support and confirm the decision which springs as much from love of our people and respect for its honour as also from the conviction that final world peace, which is so necessary for all, can only be reached when the conception of victor and vanquished is replaced by a bearable application of equal rights for all who live."—*Reuter.*

HITLER'S BROADCAST.

Berlin, Oct. 15.

In broadcast to the German nation Hitler said that it would be a gigantic event in the history of the whole of humanity if France and Germany could finally banish violence from their common life.

He added that while the German people asserted the rights which the treaties themselves gave to the nation, yet for Germany no reason for territorial conflicts lay beyond those provisions in treaties that already existed.

When the Saar territory was returned by France to the Reich only a madman could imagine that another Franco-German war was possible.

"German youth is not on the march to demonstrate against France, but to identify a political movement which has become necessary to suppress communism," Herr Hitler said.

TRAITORS OF 1918.

"If the rest of the world isolated itself in indestructible fortresses and built monster aeroplanes, guns and tanks, then they could not refer to the German menace, when the Nazis marched entirely without weapons in columns of four.

"The deliberate 'declassing' of the German people lies in the fact that Germany has been denied the right of defence given every other nation.

"The men now ruling Germany have nothing in common with the paid traitors of November, 1918. We were not responsible for the Great War, or what happened during 1914-18, but are only responsible for that which every man of honour must do for people in distress."—*Reuter.*

GENEVA REACTION.

SIR JOHN SIMON'S DECLARATION

The German decision to withdraw from the Disarmament Conference was communicated in a long statement handed to the President of the Conference, Mr. Arthur Henderson but her decision has not affected plans for the reassembly of the Conference on Monday. No German representative was present at the meeting of the League Council this afternoon.

In his statement to the Bureau this morning Sir John Simon reported on the results of the conversations between the Powers on the question of disarmament. He indicated that the United Kingdom draft convention would as a result of these conversations, need to be somewhat recast. Firstly, its duration should be extended to eight years, which should be occupied by the fulfilment of the continuations programme to secure, firstly, a substantial disarmament of heavily armed Powers and secondly, the achievement of the principle of equality in a regime of security.

He added that the modification of the draft convention was necessitated by the present unsettled state of Europe, to which the President of the Conference had referred at the meeting of the Bureau on October 9.

The eight year period would begin with the transformation of continental armies and the setting up of a system of supervision through the Permanent Disarmament Commission. Or this Commission could, as Mr. Henderson had suggested, be set up without waiting for the ratification of the convention. The British Government would welcome it as a shortening period when actual disarmament would be reached.

DISARMAMENT MEASURES.

Regarding the question of how much of eight years would be needed for the initial steps Sir John Simon reported that four years had been mentioned by several Governments though others had proposed a somewhat shorter period.

The measures of the substantial disarmament ultimately to be reached must be defined in the convention itself, and by substantial disarmament he meant either the provision of the United Kingdom draft convention or some comparable variation. He pointed out that the result of the abolition of the various forms of armaments in the second period would be to constitute a common list of permitted arms in which all states without differentiation would share.

Finally Sir John Simon insisted on the principle, which seemed to him essential, that the Powers now restricted by treaties should not increase their armaments forthwith. By that he did not mean to exclude numerical increase proportionate to the numerical increase of the German Army in the course of its transformation from a long to a short service force.

INVITATION TO POWERS.

He invited the treaty-bound Powers to express their willingness to conform to the time table he had indicated. In addition the convention should contain a provision that no Government would henceforth manufacture or acquire any further weapon of any of the types to be eventually abolished.

Sir John Simon expressed the belief that a convention on the above lines would be best calculated to restore rudely shaken confidence, and he proposed that in the general commission other countries should be invited to state their attitude with regard to the essential points he had enumerated.

The British Foreign Secretary's statement was supported by Mr. Norman Davis (United States), Signor Soragna (Italy), and M. Paul Boncour (France), vice-president Politis and Rapporteur Bens. The German representative, Herr Von Papen, confined himself to saying he had noted and would report Sir John Simon's statement. The Bureau decided that the statement should be transmitted to the General Commission for immediate discussion on Monday afternoon.

This occasion will provide an opportunity for testing the nature and strength of world opinion upon the disarmament situation as it stands in the light of latest developments.—*British Wireless.*

DELEGATES LEAVE.

Germans Refuse To Comment On Instructions.

Geneva, Oct. 15.

The German delegation to the Disarmament Conference left for Berlin last night.

Members refused to comment on the instructions received from Berlin. Mr. Arthur Henderson's reply to Dr. Nadolny was most brief, and simply acknowledged receipt of the telegram, which will be submitted to the Bureau of the Disarmament Conference.—*Reuter.*

CALAMEL-PEREIRA

WEDDING OF ENGINEER OF HONGKONG BREWERY

The wedding was solemnised at the Rosary Church, Kowloon, on Saturday morning, between Miss Bertha Maria Pereira, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Pereira of Hongkong, and Mr. Antoine Yves Calamel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adorin Calamel, of Rodriguez, an engineer employed at the Hongkong Brewery. Rev. Father Rossi officiated at the ceremony.

Entering the Church on the arm of her brother, Mr. T.M. Pereira, the bride was charmingly attired in a white angel's skin creation by Mme. D'Obry, and carried a bouquet of arum lilies. The Misses Beatrice Soares and Agnes Lopes, who attended as bridesmaids, were dressed in shell pink organdie, carrying bouquets of Honolulu creeper, and heather.

Mr. R. Silva and Dr. F. M. G. Ozorio discharged the duties of best-men.

Subsequent to the ceremony, a reception was held at 5, Salisbury Terrace, where the happy couple received the felicitations of their many friends.

Later, they left for their honeymoon, which is being spent in Macao, the bride's going-away dress being of French brocaded silk with white ground and two fancy designs of pink and cream.

HUGE BOND PURCHASE.

RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION ISSUE

Washington, Oct. 14.

The Reconstruction Finance Corporation has authorised the purchase of U.S.$50,000,000 of preferred stock in the Continental and Illinois National Bank and Trust Company, which is the fifth largest bank in the United States, with deposits totalling U.S.$650,000,000.—*Reuter.*

REICHSTAG FIRE

SENSATIONAL ARREST OF FOREIGN LAWYERS

Berlin, Oct. 14.

Four foreign lawyers, Mr. Leo Gallagher, of the United States, M. Willard, of France, and M. M. Detchoff and Gregoroff, of Bulgaria, who are attending the Reichstag Fire Trial here, were to-day summoned to leave the Court by detectives, during a brief interval in the proceedings.

They were taken to an adjoining room and deprived of their entrance cards and later were conducted to the police station for examination.

This action is stated to be the sequel to a letter they had written to Dimitroff's counsel, who was appointed by the Court urging him to protest exclusion of Dimitroff, who is charged with high treason from the Court.

The latter sought to justify Dimitroff's attitude towards German justice.

The President of the Court, Dr. Buenger, characterised the letter as a monstrous slander.—*Reuter.*

Three of Four Banned.

Berlin, Oct. 15.

Three of the foreign lawyers, Messrs. Willard, Detchoff and Gregoroff, after a police examination, have been expelled from Germany.

Leo Gallagher, the American lawyer, has been exempted from the expulsion order, in view of the fact that Torgler's counsel specifically invited him to attend the trial.—*Reuter.*

FIRST OFFENCE

THIEF BOUND OVER BY MR. BALFOUR

For his first breach against the law, Chan Wah, unemployed, was bound over by Mr. Balfour in the Central Magistracy this morning. He was charged with stealing a purse from a compatriot.

Sub-Inspector Kirby said the defendant was arrested by a detective and when searched, the purse, containing $1.83 in Chinese money was found. He admitted he stole it from Li Cheung who was asleep at a stall in Lower Lascar Row. The girdle to which the purse was attached had been severed.

WANG CHING-WEI.

MEETING AT KIUKIANG WITH CHIANG KAI-SHEK

Nanking, Oct. 14.

Mr. Wang Ching-wei flew to Nanchang this morning to see General Chiang Kai-shek.

Mr. Wang is expected to return to Nanking after two days.—*Reuter.*

Plans Altered.

Nanking, Oct. 14.

Mr. Wang Ching-wei landed at Kiukiang instead of at Nanchang, as General Chiang Kai-shek had travelled to Kiukiang to meet him.—*Reuter.*

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Sylvia Sidney and George Raft appear together for the first time on the screen in the Vina Delmar story, "Pick Up", The picture opened yesterday at the Queen's Theatre exhibiting itself as a tender and human romance of young love, shot through with thrills and tragedy.

The story of "Pick Up," a B. P. Schulberg production, is the story of a girl, released from prison to shift for herself. Still behind the bars is her husband, whom she detests, on a murder charge. Once out, the girl finds herself facing starvation. She allows a taxi-driver to pick her up, achieves a fondness for him which ripens into love, and has to refuse to marry him because of her previous marriage.

Through her encouragement the taxi driver goes into the garage business, waxing prosperous. Becoming society-minded, he starts chasing a wealthy girl, only to discover when almost too late, that his "pick-up" girl is the one who really matters.

In a series of dramatic scenes the picture moves swiftly to its conclusion, bringing in the girl's husband, who has escaped from prison to reclaim his wife. The story builds to an exciting climax, in which the love of the girl and her man is threatened. It is a dramatic tale of power to which Sylvia Sidney and George Raft contribute what are probably their finest performances.

"Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp"

Supported by a cast including three internationally-famous comedians who recently returned to the screen after extended stage engagements, Al Jolson is at the King's Theatre to-day, in "Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp", upon the screen for the first time in more than two years.

Jolson, first in the talkies, introduces a new screen technique which is confidently expected to revolutionize picture making. Discarding most of the normal methods of the motion picture studios, the star presents his new story in what is variously called "Musical dialogue" and "photographic music."

His picture is something like 90 per cent musical, but the music and lyrics are an inherent part of the story instead of being songs, as such. There is only about ten per cent of spoken dialogue. The story of "Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp", written especially for Jolson by Ben Hecht, is brought to the screen with Madge Evans in the principal feminine role and with Frank Morgan, Harry Langdon and Chester Conklin in the principal masculine parts.

With the exception of Miss Evans and Morgan, the entire cast plays strange characters, who glory in such names as Bumper, Egghead, Captain Hell, Scuee, Acorn, Ma Sunday and Apple Mary.

The story is laid in modern-day New York, against the background of Central Park, Wall Street, the tenement districts and haunts of the rich. Jolson, minus blackface and playing a character totally unlike any he has ever brought to the screen or stage, will sing throughout the picture.

The songs and musical dialogue are from the pens of Lorenz Hart and Richard Rodgers, well-known composer team of Broadway and Hollywood. The pair stumbled upon the germ of their new musical ideas while working on a Chevalier picture, and now they have fully developed the technique in the Jolson film.

"Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp" is a Lewis Milestone production.

"Moonlight and Pretzels"

Leo Carrillo is more than just one of the outstanding actors of the American stage and screen. He is an arts foundation. He can paint, he can draw, he can sculp, he can write, he can sing, he can play, he is a linguist, and he is an accredited historian.

Carrillo who has a strong character role in Universal's backstage musical romance, "Moonlight and Pretzels," which opens on Thursday at the King's Theatre, is now writing a book dealing with the early days of California from an historical standpoint. He is a poet of ability, and recently produced a volume of verse under the title, "Western Breezes". He is a polo player whose prowess is recognized all over the United States. He is an accomplished linguist, and is the only American acter who is an adept conversationalist in Chinese and Japanese.

Because his ancestors were Italian and Spanish, even in his amateur days he specialised in dialect characterizations of these two nationalities, and subsequent stage appearances often found him playing such parts. There were 'Lombardi, Ltd,' 'Mister Antonio', 'The Padre', 'The Bad Man', and other such plays—but the role which gave him the greatest pleasure was Tarkington's 'Magnolia'".

In "Moonlight and Pretzels," Carrillo deserts his Italian dialect and assumes that of a Greek, the role being that of a big-time gambler. Also among the galaxy of stage, screen and radio artists, are Roger Pryor, youthful Broadway stage star who makes his picture debut in this Universal musical, Alexander Gray, Bernice Claire, Jack Denny and his orchestra, Doris Carson, The Four Eton Boys, Herbert Rawlinson, the famous Frank and Milt Britton.

"Disgraced!"

Helen Twelvetrees, Bruce Cabot, Adrienne Ames, William Harrigan and Ken Murray play the leading roles in "Disgraced!" Paramount's poignant story of a woman who found out she was too modern, which comes on Thursday to the Queen's Theatre.

Miss Twelvetrees plays the role of an attractive model. Cabot, climbing another step or the ladder to stardom plays the other leading role, that of a wealthy young man-about-town. Dark-eyed Miss Ames is cast as a sophisticated socialite, Cabot's fiancee. Harrigan plays the role of Miss Twelvetrees' father, a police captain. Murray is the latter's friend.

The story centres about Miss Twelvetrees, who arouses Cabot's interest the moment he sees her. He pays ardent court to her, and she is soon convinced that their love is reciprocal. When he tells her that he is about to break off his engagement to Miss Ames, she yields to him completely. All this of course, is kept from Harrigan, the father.

But shortly thereafter Miss Twelvetrees is called upon to model a wedding gown for Miss Ames, and learns that she and Cabot are to be married within a few days. Stunned at first, she is coldly furious after the shock wears off. Pocketing a pistol, she goes to Cabot.

He succeeds in locking her into a closet before she can use the gun, and calls for the police. Harrigan, the girl's police-captain father, is sent to the scene. What happens when he finds his daughter has been betrayed, and that her betrayer is here at hand, results in a daring denouement.

MOTOR MISHAP.

CRASHES INTO LAMP STANDARD

A European and a Chinese are now lying seriously injured at Kowloon Hospital as the result of a motor accident which occurred in Laichikok Road, Shamshuipo, shortly after 5 p.m. yesterday.

According to the report given to the Police, motor car No. 64, driven by a Chinese chauffeur with Mr. R. Moore, a mechanical engineer of No. 264, Fook Wing Street, Mr. Chung Sui-hon, of No. 83, Caine Road, and Mr. Wai Po-cheung, of No. 59, Bonham Road, as passengers, was returning to Kowloon from Castle Peak Road at about 5 p.m. In Laichikok Road near Shamshuipo, the driver tried to overtake another car which was on the road, but hit a lamp standard. All the glass in the car was shattered.

Serious injuries were received by Mr. Moore and Mr. Chung, and they were admitted to Kowloon Hospital in a grave condition. Mr. Wai Po-cheung escaped with only slight injuries. The chauffeur was unscathed.

Mr. Wai Po-cheung is well-known locally as a former journalist, who is now with Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, the firm of solicitors.

Inquiries made at Kowloon Hospital last night revealed that both Mr. Moore and Mr. Chung were still in a serious condition.

MANCHUKUO PLOT.

ATTEMPTS TO OVERTHROW PRESENT REGIME

Harbin, Oct. 15.

A plot aimed at the overthrow of the Manchukuo regime is alleged to have been unearthed following the arrest of a Manchukuo official of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

The identity of the official is undisclosed. His office was previously raided and incriminating documents are reported to have been found, involving others whose arrest the authorities are now seeking.—*Reuter.*

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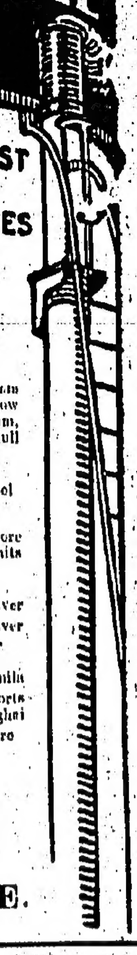

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OBITUARY

PRESIDENT OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST COLLEGE

London, Oct. 14.

Professor Frederick William Hall, President of St. John Baptist College, Oxford, has died. —*Our Own Correspondent.*

A man of scholarly distinction with a tutorial record extending over many years, Professor Hall's death will be mourned by many former students now scattered all over the world.

From 1892 to 1897 he was Assistant Master at Westminster, then becoming Fellow and Lecturer at St. John's College where he remained until 1931. He was Tutor in 1900 and Senior Tutor from 1925 until 1931, when he accepted the Presidency.

In addition to being Co-Editor of the Classical Quarterly for 20 years, Professor Hall was University Lecturer in Greek and Latin Literature and was one of the Visitors of the Ashmolean Museum, Oxford. His publications were "The Fourth Verrine of Cicero", "Aristophanis Comoediae" with W. M. Geldart and "A Handbook to Classical Texts."

Professor Hall was the oldest son of the late William Hall, formerly Chief Accountant of the London and County Bank. He was unmarried.

MRS. LIMA GUTIERREZ.

Old Portuguese Resident Passes Away.

The death occurred at St. Paul's (French Convent) Hospital on Saturday of Mrs. Roza da Lima Gutierrez, one of the oldest members of the Portuguese community, at the age of 56. The deceased was admitted to Hospital earlier in the week, suffering from bronchitis which developed into pneumonia. She is survived by three nephews one, of whom, Mr. Luiz Gutierrez, is in Hongkong, and also by three nieces.

The funeral was held in the afternoon, at the Roman Catholic Cemetery, the Rev. Fr. Rossello officiating. Amongst those present were Mr. L. Gutierrez (chief mourner); the Misses Gutierrez, Mrs. M.A. Gutierrez (sister-in-law), and Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Xavier.

MR. WALTER W. COLE.

Death of Local Resident After Long Illness.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Walter William Cole, formerly Accountant of Messrs. Davie, Boag & Co., Ltd., which occurred at the Matilda Hospital yesterday afternoon, after a long illness.

A native of London, the deceased worked for the firm of Messrs. Warde, Sturt & Sharp, London, from 1883 until 1924 when he came to Hongkong and joined the firm of Messrs. Davie, Boag, with whom he remained till the middle of last year.

Deceased is survived by his wife, two sons, Messrs. C. W. Liddon Cole of Messrs. Shewan Tomes & Co., and A. L. Cole, of the Government Service, and two daughters, Miss Rita Cole, also of Messrs. Shewan Tomes, and Mrs. H. O. Tong, who is in Shanghai, to all of whom general sympathy will be extended in their bereavement.

The funeral will pass the Monument this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

In the bidding of a hand at contract we are always looking for the safety of the hand. There are also safety plays in the play of the hand. A good example of playing a hand safe is given in the following hand which came up in a recent tournament at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The Bidding.

South and West passed and North opened with one club. East overcalled with one heart. South bid one no trump, West passed and North bid two no trump. South went to three no trump.

The Play

The opening lead was the nine of hearts, which East won with the king. He returned the five of hearts and the trick was won in dummy with the ace.

Some players might make the mistake now of trying to break the clubs by leading the ace and king, hoping they would split three-two —and then complain of hard luck if this play did not work. However, there is a safer way to play the hand.

You should assume that the two missing honours will be divided. Playing on this assumption, let us try to establish the club suit safely before control of the heart suit is knocked out.

The proper play is the ace of

	♠K-9-5-3 ♥A-7 ♦8-5 ♣A-K-9-5-2	
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clubs from dummy, and then a small club. On this club East will show out, playing the seven of diamonds. The declarer then plays his ten and West wins the trick with the jack. The declarer has a perfect tenace in dummy with the king-nine over West's queen-six of clubs.

East returns the deuce of hearts, which the declarer wins with the queen and then takes the club finesse. He runs the king and five of clubs, the ace of diamonds and the ace and king of spades, for three no trump, while if he had tried to break the club suit by playing the ace and king, his contract would have been defeated.

FERRY HITS JUNK.

H.M.S. SUFFOLK AIDS IN EMERGENCY

Passengers going across the harbour from Hongkong on the Meridian Star at 7.25 p.m. yesterday, well alarmed when the ferry-launch struck a junk, No. 685, which was carrying a cargo of wood. The junk was just clearing the ferry-launch when the collision occurred.

Fortunately no-one was hurt aboard the junk, nor thrown overboard by the force of the impact.

H.M.S. Suffolk, which was lying in midstream, threw a searchlight upon the scene, and sent a pinnace to see what help could be rendered. The Meridian Star towed the junk over to Kowloon badly damaged.

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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 2nd November, 1933, or they will not be recognized.

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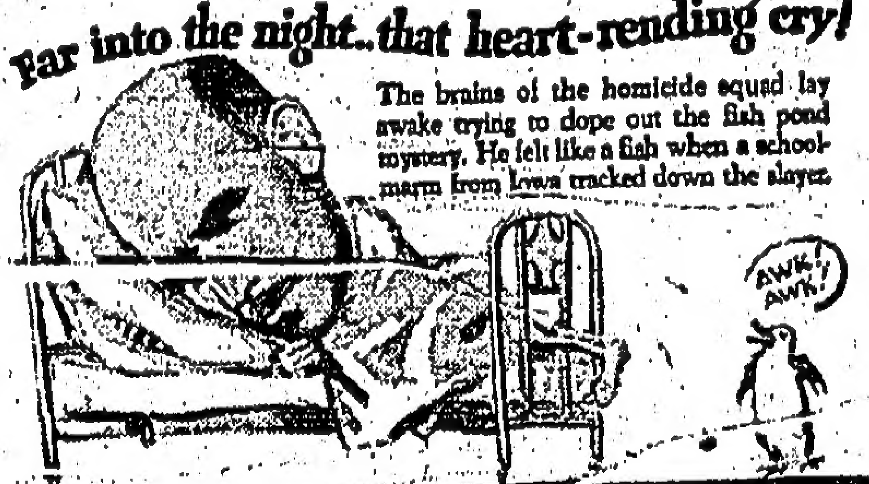

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SPY SCARE IN SAAR AREA

FRENCH PLANS IN GERMAN HANDS

MAN ARRESTED

Geneva, Oct. 10.

With the French frontier in the throes of a spy scare following the report that Germany had obtained the detailed plans of French secret fortifications, delegates to the League of Nations were nervous to-day lest recent incidents in the Saar basin should produce a crisis.

Despatches reported that the French had already arrested a foreman engaged on the secret fortifications on a charge of delivering the plans and specifications to German agents. This was followed by a Paris message saying that an engineer named Weber had been detained at Metz on suspicion that he was the go-between in the dealings between the foreman, Emile Schopp, and German agents.

MACHINE-GUNS.

Two civilians were later arrested at Saarbruecken, charged with conveying a motor lorry loaded with the latest type French machine-guns. Schopp was said to have confessed that he stole the machine-guns from the French supply stores.

The foreman Schopp, according to reports here, was considered to be entirely loyal to France and had been trusted with all secrets pertaining to the construction of the fortifications. He had been employed on one piece of construction for eight months.

Other arrests are expected hourly. It was reported here, and it was feared that the French threat, made recently, that Germany would be arraigned before the League on charges of open violation of Versailles treaty would be put into effect.

NEST OF ESPIONAGE.

As the despatches were received to-day, the League already had before it a report from the League's governing commission in the Saar valley covering disturbing incidents that have taken place there throughout the summer and the early autumn.

Most of the delegates had hoped that a resolution, instructing the League Council to watch Saar development closely in order to safeguard European peace, would be sufficient. Now that a new irritant has been applied to the general political situation, delegates were not certain what would take place.

The report from the Saar with the statement of a French official that the Saar basin had become a nest of espionage and intrigue, came while a League committee had in its possession the report of the governing commission charging German Nazis in the area with religious persecution, intimidation of Saar officials and abusive attacks on the governing body.

The governing commission was appointed by the League for a period of fifteen years, its functions to cease in 1935, following a plebiscite to determine whether the people of the basin desire to be under French or German rule.

As the time for the plebiscite draws nearer, the French and Germans are both increasing their efforts to swing the opinion of the 790,000 inhabitants that are under the nominal government of the League in their own favour.

EUROPEANS CAPTURE THIEF

SMART WORK PRAISED BY MAGISTRATE

Charged before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with the larceny of a leather hand bag containing a wrist watch, valued at $35, and 25 cents in money from Mak Kin-yee, a spinster, at Morrison Gap Road last night, Chan Sang, an unemployed, was sentenced to six months hard labour, and ordered to be sent back to the country on the completion of his sentence.

Inspector McLellan said that complainant was walking in Morrison Gap Road about 8.15 last night when defendant came up from behind and snatched her bag. Complainant raised the alarm, and two Chinese gave chase. Two Europeans also joined in, and the defendant was eventually caught by Mr. McKay who was one of them, near the Civil Service Cricket Club. The defendant broke away again but was caught by the other European.

Mr. Schofield remarked that he would like to compliment Mr. McKay and the others who captured the defendant, whether they were present in Court or not.

Inspector McLellan added that Mr. McKay was connected with the Police Reserve, and a special report of his action would be forwarded to the Inspector General of Police.

In reply to Mr. Schofield, the defendant said he had arrived in the Colony five days ago from Weichow to find work.

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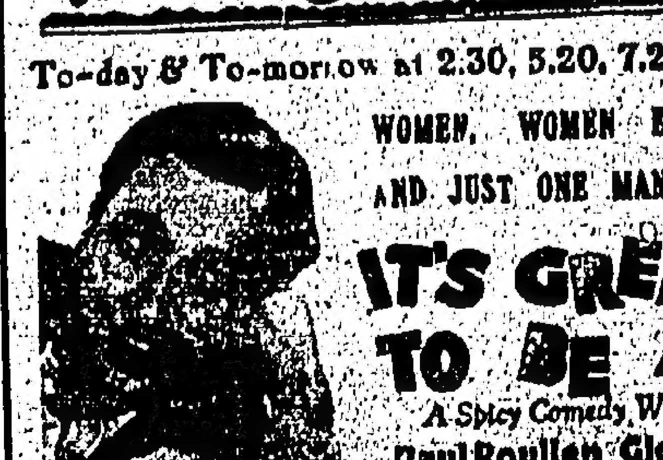

HE traded his soul for a lying woman
WALLACE BEERY IN Flesh
A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

LESSON SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—HONGKONG

"Doctrine of Atonement" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which was read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was: "All things are of God, who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ, and hath given to us the ministry of reconciliation" (II Cor. 5:18).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Then drew near unto him all the publicans and sinners for to hear him. And the Pharisees and scribes murmured, saying, This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them. And he spake this parable unto them, saying, What man of you, having an hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it? And when he hath found it, he layeth it on his shoulders, rejoicing..... I say unto you, that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance" (Luke 15:1-5,7).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Every pang of repentance and suffering, every effort for reform, every good thought and deed, will help us to understand Jesus' atonement for sin and aid its efficacy; but if the sinner continues to pray and repent, sin and be sorry, he has little part in the atonement,—in the *at-one-ment* with God, for he lacks the practical repentance, which reforms the heart...." (p.19).

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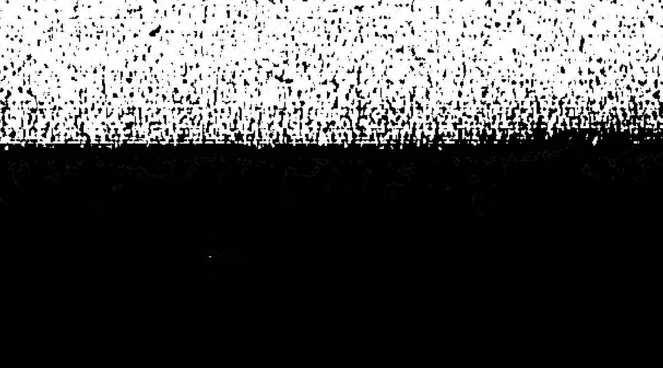

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